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ALL-CYCLING MEETING TO BE HONGKONG'S FIRST

Entries Close On July 24:
Finals On Aug. 7

Arrangements have now been concluded for the Open All-Cycling Meeting to be held at Caroline Hill Stadium on August 5 and 7. The meeting is being sponsored by Mr. F. C. Young, Manager of the Hongkong Branch of the Dunlop Rubber Co., and President of the Hongkong Cycling Club. Proceeds will go to the Society for the Protection of Children.

Heats will be run off as necessary on August 5, all finals taking place on August 7. The complete list of events is:

1 Mile Open Championship; 1 mile schoolboys; 1 mile newcomers; 4 miles ladies; 1 mile Open to army riders; 2 miles schoolboys; 2 miles Open Championship; 2 miles newcomers; 4 miles ladies; 1 mile Open to navy riders; 10 minutes Australian Team Pursuit event (four in team); 50 yards slow cycle race; 1 mile tandem (lady and gent); 4 miles double-cycle race; 1 mile Officials only; 5 miles Open Championship.

The entrance fee for each event is 50 cents with the exception of ladies' schoolboys and servicemen's races, the fee for these being 25 cents. Servicemen are also offered a 50 per cent reduction in entry fees in open events.

Entry forms are obtainable from the Organiser, c/o The Dunlop Rubber Company (China), Ltd., Marina House, 2nd Floor; The British Bicycle Company, 18 Hennessy Road; and from Mr. H. A. G. Keates, Hon. Secretary, The Hongkong Cycling Club, c/o R.A.S.C., Wellington Barracks. The closing date for all entries is July 24.

Tickets for the meeting will shortly be on sale at \$1.50 and 20 cents, same being available for both days, and these may be had on application to the Organiser.

M'DOWELL REDUCES RECORD

Though threatened with possible extensive delays through the Chinese celebrations of the 2,200 years old "Dragon Boat Festival," R. H. M'Dowell started at 4.35 p.m. on June 21 in a successful attempt to reduce the Island Circuit record recently established by Geo. Cottrell, his clubmate.

M'Dowell's excellent time of 1 hr. 27 mins. 23 secs. reduced the previous "Class D" figures by no less than 5 mins. 9 secs. and, in addition, brought him inside the Class "B" standard (unrestricted machines and equipment) by 2 mins. 37 secs., thus gaining him two record certificates for a single performance.

Messrs. P. Stanley and W. Etock were responsible for timekeeping, whilst checking arrangements, etc. were in the hands of Messrs. Geo. Cottrell and H. A. G. Keates.

CLUB RUN CANCELLED

The Club run to Shek-O fixed for Wednesday last was waived in favour of M'Dowell's record ride arrangements. There were no further decreases in attendances on the week-end runs to Castle Peak Bay and Kamtin.

In view of the commencement of an intensive training programme for the forthcoming track meeting, Wednesday and Saturday runs will be discontinued temporarily. Those intending to take part in next Sunday's outing should meet as usual at 9.30 a.m. at the Alhambra Theatre, Kowloon.

ARGENTINE WINS FRENCH GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

LE TUDQUET, June 28 (Reuter)—Martin Pose, former Argentine champion, won the French Open Golf Championship yesterday with an aggregate score of 285 (73+71+73+68).

In the last round he equalled the course record.

T. E. Adams, an Englishman attached to the Royal Ghent Club, led in the second and third rounds and finished second, a stroke behind Pose.

Interport Swimming In September

COLONY ACCEPTS INVITATION

An Interport Committee meeting was held at the Victoria Recreation Club yesterday following a letter received from the Shanghai Swimming Association inviting the Colony to send team to Shanghai for an Interport contest, during the first and second week in September.

The invitation was provisionally accepted.

The events are as follows: 50 yards (Backstroke), 100 yards (Breaststroke), 220 yards, 440 yards, 880 yards, fancy diving from one metre board, 180 yards, medley relay, free style relay and water polo.

Two representatives only will be permitted for each event, three men for the medley relay and four for the free style relay.

As some of the Chinese Clubs' representatives were unable to attend yesterday, another meeting will be called in the next three weeks.

It was also announced that a swimming gala will be held to raise funds for the tour.

Mr. S. V. Giltins presided, and those present were D. F. Lopes, M. M. de V. Soares and O. O. Barreto, (V. R. C.); Wong Shuhong (Chinese Y. M. C. A.); Lt. C. Man (Army) and Mr. R. Goldman (European Y. M. C. A.).

The last Interport was held in 1935 when Hongkong beat Shanghai.

WATER POLO LEAGUE

C.B.C. And Chung Shing Win

Playing at home, the Chinese Bathing Club defeated the Y.M.C.A. by three goals to nil.

Robert Chan, Sung Yu-pah and Wong Sau-seng scored.

Chung Shing Benevolent Society beat South China A. A. by two clear goals.

Soo Ching-mau and Chan Shek-pui netted for the winners for whom the custodian was in fine

GRAND PRIX DE PARIS

Success Of French Derby Winner

LONCHAMP, June 26 (Reuter)—The Grand Prix de Paris was won yesterday by M. Marcel Boussac's Derby winner, Pharis.

Baron Edward de Rothschild's Tricamaron was second and M. Robert Lazar's Etalonor was third.

Won by two and a half lengths with the same distance separating second from third. Nineteen ran.

An Easy Win
Pharis won easily, shooting away from the field in front of the grand stands after being hemmed in near the pavilion rails.

The winner's time was 3 min. 21.2/100 sec. and the jockey was Charles Elliott.

The betting at the ten francs stake was 21 for a win and 15 to 21 for places.

SPORTING FIXTURES

TO-DAY

TENNIS—"B" Division: K.C.C. (B). v. K.C.C. (A). C.R.C. v. H.K.C.C. C. de R. v. C.S.C.C. S.C.A.A. v. K.I.T.C.

TO-MORROW

TENNIS—"C" Division: K.T.G.C.A. v. C.C.C. C. de R. v. C.B.A. R.P.S.C. v. C.R.C. S.C.A.A. v. I.R.C.

THURSDAY, JUNE 29

TENNIS—"D" Division: Postponed. Matches to be mutually arranged.

WATER POLO—Victoria Recreation Club v. Chinese Bathing Club (at V.R.C.); YMCA v. South China AA (at Y.M.C.A.).

"A" DIVISION LEAGUE TENNIS

SENSATIONAL DEFEAT OF CHINESE R.C. BY S.C.A.A.

W. T. Wang And Szeto Win All Sets: K.C.C. Success

The programme of "A" Division League tennis matches yesterday was marked by the sensational defeat of the Chinese Recreation Club, present holders, and champions for the past seven years.

Visiting King's Park they were beaten by the South China Athletic Association by five sets to four and for their victory the home team have to thank W. T. Wang and B. Szeto who won all three sets.

The success of the home team is all the more creditable in that the Chinese R.C. turned out a fully representative side, including the Tsui brothers, Ho Ka-lau and Lee Yue-wing.

Scores:

W. T. Wang and B. Szeto (S.C.A.A.) beat Tsui Wai-pui and W. Hung 6-2

beat Tsui Yun-pui and Paul Kong 6-3

beat Y. W. Lee and K. L. Ho 6-3

C. K. Chan and F. Liu (S.C.A.A.) lost to Wai-pui and Hung 4-6

beat Yun-pui and Kong 6-4

beat Lee and Ho 6-2

A. Chan and J. Hsu (S.C.A.A.) lost to Wai-pui and Hung 4-6

lost to Yun-pui and Kong 3-6

lost to Lee and Ho 1-6

RECREIO DEFEATED

At Cox's Path, Kowloon Cricket Club beat Club de Recreio by 5 sets to 3.

E. C. Finch and G. C. Burnett (K.C.C.) beat A. V. Remedios and J. Goncalves 6-2

beat H. Barros and C. A. Barreto 6-2

beat F. J. Remedios and A. V. Gosano 6-0

S. A. Gray and W. T. Broadbridge (K.C.C.) lost to Remedios and Goncalves 3-6

beat Barros and Barreto 6-3

lost to Remedios and Goncalves 4-6

A. E. P. Guest and A. Crawford (R.C.C.) lost to Remedios and Goncalves 1-6

drew with Barros and Barreto 6-6

beat Remedios and Gosano 7-5

GRAND PRIX DE PARIS

TENNIS EXHIBITION AT CHINESE R.C.

The South China Athletic Association (Tennis Section) has arranged for an exhibition to be given here by Wang Wen-tsing, the well-known Shanghai player who is passing through on his way from Szechuan to Shanghai.

The exhibition will be held at the Chinese Recreation Club, Causeway Bay, on Sunday, commencing 3 p.m., and all the proceeds will be donated to charity.

Wang will be seen in a singles (best-of-three games) match against Tsui Wai-pui, Colony champion, while Wang will partner H. D. Rumjahn in a doubles match against the Tsui brothers.

Tickets, at \$2, \$1 and 50 cents, are available from the S.C.A.A., China Building, and also at the ground on Sunday.

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Pharis won easily, shooting away from the field in front of the grand stands after being hemmed in near the pavilion rails.

The winner's time was 3 min.

21.2/100 sec. and the jockey was Charles Elliott.

The betting at the ten francs stake was 21 for a win and 15 to 21 for places.

H.K. GOLF CLUB COMPETITIONS

The following are the results of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club competitions:

Hockey Par Pool, played at Fanling on the Old Course, on June 24 and 25:

Major W. G. Harry (10) all square.

There were 20 entries.

SUMMEE FOURSMORES

The following are the results of the first round of the Summer Foursomes, played at Happy Valley:

J. W. Mayhew (8) and W. Hewitt (13) beat R. M. Wood (12) and J. E. Richardson (8) by 2 holes.

Condr. Nicholson (8) and Major Harvey (7) beat T. H. Rowell (12) and D. J. Valentine (12) by one hole.

W. N. A. Smalley (2) and D. S. Edward (3) beat S. F. Chubb (15) and W. J. Jowitt (12) 4 up and 3 down.

R. Young (6) and R. H. Gregory (12) beat C. H. Burton (8) and A. Sommerville (7) 3 up and 4 down.

G. Davies (12) and G. MacDonald (7) beat A. J. MacFayden (18) and F. Buckle (12) 2 up and 1 down.

E. Tuck (14) and W. Ahern (9) beat R. K. Valentine (7) and L. M. S. Lloyd (12) 6 up and 5 down.

J. B. Mackie (5) beat H. Smith (8) and E. Greenwood (18) by one hole.

C. C. Stark (9) beat A. D. Humphreys (16) and D. Humphreys (9) 1 up.

G. Willerton (12) and R. Ellis (15) beat J. Linaker (14) and A. McKeffer (6) at the 25th hole.

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12.00 to 1220 p.m., Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Leslie Hutchinson (Vocal) at the Piano.

Love Is Everywhere (film *Look Up And Laugh*)—with Orchestral accompaniment—*I Need You* (H.A.F.-Botteler); *Broken-Hearted Clown* (Noel-Pelosi).

12.40 p.m. Jack Harris and His Orchestra.

I Miss You In The Morning—Slow Fox-Trot. Park Parade (from *Black and Blue*); One Day When We Were Young—Waltz; Honey Chile—Fox-Trot. Amazon Goes A-Wooing—One-Step; Glamour Girl—Fox-Trot.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Billy Mayerl at the Piano.

Sweet Nothings (Rattenberg); Jammin' (A Syncopated Impression—Mayerl); Billy Mayerl's Savoy Havana Memories—Intro: Kitten on the Keys; Ukulele Lady; What'll I Do; Carolina in the Morning; Chili-Bom-Bom; Dancing Queen; Keep on Humming; April Showers; Indian Love Call; I'll Build a Stairway to Paradise.

1.15 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast & Announcements.

1.30 p.m. Dance Music & Variety.

Blues—Basin Street Blues; Fox-Trot—Nobody's Sweetheart—Billy Cotton Pickers; Rumba—Siboney; Triqueta—Alfredo Brito and His Orchestra; Vocal and Piano—Everything You Said Came True (Friend) and Franklin); So Many Memories (Harry Woods); Turner Layton; Fox-Trot—Well Rest At The End Of The Trail; March Queen Of Hearts (from the film)—Sydney Kyte & His Piccadilly Hotel Band; Fox-Trot—I Can't Get You Out Of My Mind; Quickstep—Hold Tight—Jack Hylton and His Orchestra; Vocal—Sous Les Puits (from *Paris quil brille*); CEST Une Valse Musette (from *Paris quil brille*)—Mistinguett with Chorus, Accordion and Orchestra, O.K. For Sound—Fox-Trot (from *Palladium Play*); There's A New World—Fox-Trot (from *Palladium Play*)—Ambrose and His Orchestra.

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6.00 p.m. Mozart—Symphony No. 36 In C Major ("Linz") K. 425.

Sir Thomas Beecham conducting the London Philharmonic Orch.

6.25 p.m. Selections from Mozart's Operas.

"Marriage Of Figaro"—Overture;

"Il Seraglio"—Overture—Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra cond by Clemens Krauss; "Marriage Of Figaro"—Ah Come No Longer More; "Il Re Pastore"—My Love Is, For Ever True—Elizabeth Schumann (Soprano) (Sung in Italian); "Don Giovanni"—Made-

mina—Ollienda (Bass) with Piano (Sung in Italian); "The Magic Flute"; Within these sacred Halls—A Klipus (Bass) with Berlin State Opera Orchestra (Sung in German).

6.55 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.00 p.m. Gerry Moore (Piano), Sidney Custard (Organ) and Oliver Wakefield (Comedian).

Bob White—Quickstep; Quickstep—Slow Fox-Trot—Gerry Moore (Piano); with String Bass and Drums, The Voice Of Inexperience—Humorous Monologue—Oliver Wakefield; No More Quickstep; A Message From The Man In The Moon—Slow Fox-Trot (film "A Day at the Races")—Gerry Moore (Piano); with String Bass and Drums, Heart And Soul (from "A Song Is Born"); Connie Boswell (Vocal); with Cuckoo. Musical Comedy Medley—Intro: Waltz ("The Comet Domino"); If you were the only man (The Sing Boys are here); Waltz (Male Aristos); Song of the Gypsies (The Gypsy King); Waltz (Chocolate Soldier); Please don't sit with me ("To-night is the Night"); Waltz (Gipsy Love); Waltz and Finale (The Merry Widow)—Sydney Custard playing on the Organ of Gaumont Palace Cinema (Chester).

7.30 p.m. London Relay—The First Cricket Test Match England v. The West Indies.

A commentary during play and a summary of the morning's play by Howard Marshall from the Lord's Cricket Ground, London.

7.45 p.m. Roy Fox & His Orchestra.

Life Begins When You're In Love—Fox-Trot (film "The Music goes round and round"); I Feel Like A Feather In The Breeze—Fox-Trot (film "Charm School"); Rose Marie—Fox-Trot (from the film); Indian Love Call—Fox-Trot (film "Rose Marie"); Let's Face The Music and Dance—Fox-Trot (film "Follow the Fleet").

8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Grieg—Holberg Suite, Op. 40.

London String Orchestra conducted by Walter Goehr.

8.20 p.m. London Relay—The First Cricket Test Match England v. The West Indies.

Commentary by Howard Marshall continued.

8.35 p.m. Sinfonia—Grieg Sonata in G Minor played by Si Hon Ma (Violin) and E. O'Neill Shaw (Piano).

8.05 p.m. Grieg—Elegiac Melodies, Op. 34.

London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Eugene Goossens.

8.15 p.m. London Relay—The News.

8.30 p.m. London Relay—Food for Thought.

Short talks on matters of topical interest.

NEWS ABOUT THE SERVICES

LONDON GAZETTE

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

Admiralty, June 9

JUNE 9

R.N.

Surg. Comdr. J. E. Crawford, M.B., B.Ch., placed on Retd. List with rank of Surg. Capt. (June 9).

JUNE 5

R.N.

Lieuts. (Retd.) to be Lieut.-Comdr. (Retd.) with seny. as stated—W. J. Pope (May 19); D. Stafford (May 20). Lieuts. to be Lieut.-Comdr. with seny. as stated—J. Allan (May 25); R. C. J. Dreyer, W. O. Sheldow, E. J. Lee, E. O. Bickford, C. B. Brooke, R. H. Wright (June 1).

JUNE 6

R.N.

Comdr. V. C. Dorman-Smith placed on Retd. List at own request (June 6); Lieut.-Comdr. R. C. Stokes placed on Retd. List with rank of Comdr. (June 4); Surg. Lieut.-Comdr. T. F. Barlow, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to be Surg. Comdr. (June 6); Surg. Lieut.-Comdr. G. T. Hyatt, M.B., to be Surg. Comdr. (June 6); Surg. Lieut.-Comdr. L. Malone, M.R.C.P., and S. to be Surg. Comdr. (June 6); Rev. C. R. S. Muspratt, B.A., to be Chaplain (June 6).

JUNE 7

R.N.

Sub-Lieuts. to be Lieut. with seny. as stated—J. D. Ritchie (Jan. 1); J. F. Stewart (May 1); J. D. Hanron, W. P. Barber (May 6); L. A. Jones, D. W. Leggett, R. L. Davies, H. H. Dannreuther, R. W. Benson-Dare, F. E. Meynell (June 1).

JUNE 8

R.N.

Lieut.-Comdr. T. F. A. Voysey placed on Retd. List with rank of Comdr. (June 8).

WAR OFFICE, JUNE 9

Regular Army

Col. (temp.) Brig. E. T. Wilson, D.S.O., to be Maj.-Gen. (June 1) with seny. May 22, 1938.

The folg. to be Cols.—Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. J. A. Barstow, M.C., from Black Watch (May 19); Lt.-Col. J. C. P. Tooh, M.C., from R.E. (May 20); Lt.-Col. P. G. M. Elles, M.C., from RA (May 30); Maj. A. L. Pemberton, M.C., from R.A. (May 30); Lt.-Col. L. G. Humphreys, A.M.I.Mech.E., from R.A.C. (June 1).

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Time

1.00—"Empire Exchange", Talk by Lord Hailey (D1).

1.15—Recital by Max Pirani, pianist (D1).

1.35—"The Table Under the Tree," with the B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra (D1).

2.30—News (D1).

2.45—Campbelltown Gaelic Choir (D1).

3.15—Sports News and Market Notes (D1).

4.45—"Cabarette" with Reginald Porter, syncretized Piano music (D2).

7.00—Irish Rhythms, with Section of B.B.C. Northern Ireland Orchestra (D2).

7.30—The First Cricket Test, England v. West Indies. Commentary by Howard Marshall (D2).

8.15—Serge Kirsh Septet (D2).

9.00—Cecily Courtneidge (recording) (D2).

9.15—News (D2).

9.30—"Food for Thought" (D2).

9.45—Sports News and Market Notes (D2).

10.00—The First Cricket Test: England v. West Indies (D2).

10.15—Band of the 2nd Bn. The South Wales Borderers (D3).

11.00—Music Hall, with the B.B.C. Variety Orchestra (D3).

12.00—News (D3).

12.15—The First Cricket Test: England v. West Indies. Summary of day's play by Howard Marshall (D3).

12.30—Violin Recital by Henry Holt (D3).

12.55—Sports News and Market Notes (D3).

1.25—The First Cricket Test: England v. West Indies. Summary of day's play by Howard Marshall (D3).

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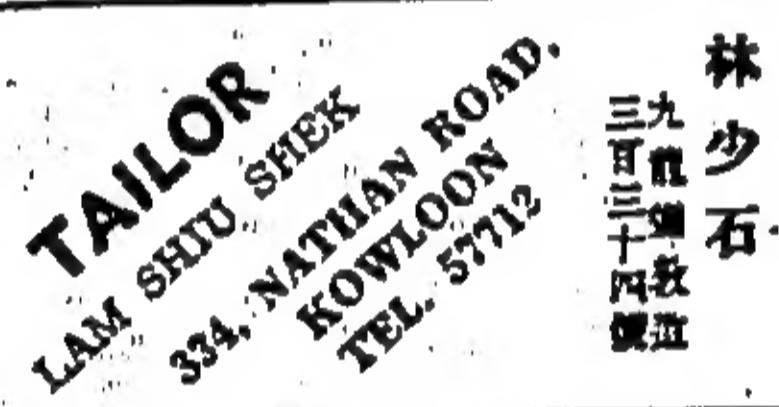
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Hongkong

KING'S: "The Lady Objects"
QUEEN'S: "Ice Follies Of 1939"
ORIENTAL: "Border Town"
CATHAY: "My Lucky Star"
Kowloon
ALHAMBRA: "For Love Or Money"
STAR: "They Won't Forget"
MAJESTIC: "Soviet Border"

Coming

KING'S: "Charlie Chan In Honolulu"
QUEEN'S: "Legend Of Mang Keung"
ORIENTAL: "Ambush"
CATHAY: "Blind Alibi"
ALHAMBRA: "Legend Of Mang Keung"
STAR: "Ruggles Of Red Gap"
MAJESTIC: "Little Miss Thoroughbred"
"Sailing Along"

"The Lady Objects" At The King's

A smashingly dramatic tale of marriage destroyed by a career seeking wife, Columbia's "The Lady Objects" which opens at the King's Theatre to-day, races to its thrill-filled climax in a court of law, where the modern Portia defends her husband against the charge of murdering "the other woman."

Gloria Stuart and Lanny Ross are featured in "The Lady Objects," which is a moving account of the problem faced by many a young husband. Their roles are heart-warmingly human, and delightfully played to make the new film a vivid document of a broken home repaired only after the courtroom renunciation of her career by Miss Stuart.

Miss Stuart, a blonde cameo-like beauty, appears in her most important role to date. She is seen as a young modern unwilling to forego her career as a lawyer in order to help her husband further his career as an architect. Mr. Ross, as the would-be architect, turns in despair to the only other trade he knows—that of singing. He becomes a night club entertainer, and so widens the breach between himself and his wife.

In addition to Ross, Miss Stuart and Miss Marsh, "The Lady Objects" has a cast that includes Roy Benson, Pierre Watkin, Robert Paige, Arthur Loft, Bess Flowers, Ann Doran, Gene Morgan, Beatrice Blinn, Dick Curtis, Robert Flack, Stanley Brown and others. William Perlberg produced the film for Columbia.

HOLLYWOOD WHISPERS

Seen together for the first time for many months, a shopping tour at Santa Barbara has given a fillip to the romance between Greta Garbo and Leopold Stokowski.

Collapsing while at work in the studio, Betty Grable was operated on for appendicitis. She is better now, but her young husband, Jackie Coogan, flew to see her from Texas, where he was giving personal stage appearances.

Claudette Colbert may replace Myrna Loy as the screen wife for William Powell in the next Thin Man picture.

Tyrone Power will again team with the young ice dancer, Sonja Henie, in the new musical, When Winter Comes.

Marlene Dietrich has signed for the star part in a French film, The Image, the story of which is by Eric Remarque. She will go to Paris next September.

Both Goldwyn and Twentieth Century-Fox are making films featuring Scotland Yard.

THE MODERN CINEMA: SAFETY AND COMFORT

The cinema has made itself an institution of this modern age; but it has taken many years for the cinema itself to realize this fact. Until quite recently, the cinema, from the points of architecture and design, has been content to be a pale imitation of its parent, the theatre.

Only now have those responsible for the building and furnishing of cinemas awoken to the fact that "form follows function" and that there is no necessity whatsoever for the cinema to follow the tradition of theatre design.

Obviously there are bound to be similarities, especially in the cases of those cinemas where provision is made for the staging of variety acts or other performances. But as far as the disposition of seats and questions of acoustics go, the modern cinema must strike out on its own path.

With the realisation that they are not bound by a tradition of theatre design, many of those responsible for the erecting of new cinemas in England are also turning their backs on the former idea of the mass-produced cinema and are employing really first-class architects to produce buildings with some individual distinction.

No "Public Taste." It will not be long before the benefits of this development are apparent. Cinema owners who formerly thought that by aping existing styles they were conforming architecturally, there is no such thing as this "public taste."

Through the architect, the cinema owner has a duty to the man in the street "to develop good taste in a subconscious manner through his building design." In collaboration with his architect he can create functional beauty. This tendency, of course, is not limited to the exterior of the cinema; it is, indeed, not limited at all, for the ideal of functional beauty is all-embracing. It applies to the very uniforms of ushers and attendants as much as it does to facades.

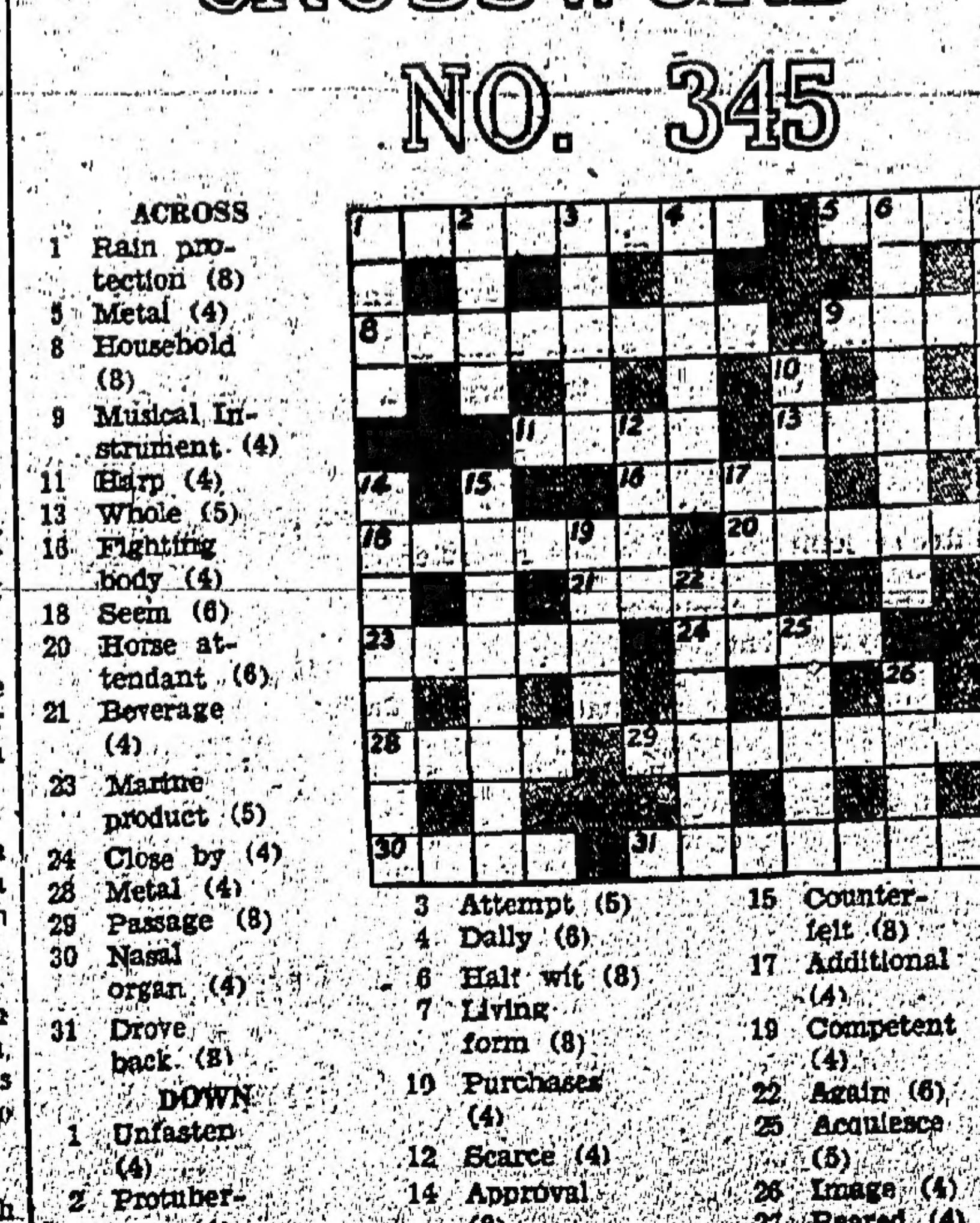
Functional Beauty. Where, then, does the value lie of achieving this functional beauty in cinema design, furnishings and accessories? It can be said emphatically that the value lies in public response, for the public is quick to react to good taste and attractiveness, and, perhaps even without being aware of it, always endorses the genuine effort to produce the best.

There is no space here to describe any of the latest of British cinemas in order to give examples of the way in which cinema owners are turning from the "mass-produced" to the individually-designed cinema. The fact remains that, having accepted the value of functional beauty, they are avoiding half-measures and doing the thing properly.

Technical Equipment. Quite as important as decorations, seating, and so on, for achieving design and comfort in the cinema, is the question of installing the best technical equipment. In this too, overseas cinema owners can benefit by the example set in Britain, where over 80 per cent of the cinemas have installed equipment by B.T.H.

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Actress Is Halted At Gangplank For Buencamino Trial

NEW YORK June 8—Federal agents to-day halted pretty Noel Carter as she ascended the gangplank of the liner Queen Mary, and told her she would have to remain in New York until after the Buckner-Buencamino railway bond conspiracy trial which starts Monday.

Federal agents asserted that Noel was one of the beauties flown to Washington by William T. Buckner in an attempt to influence certain legislators. She said she was not trying to avoid trial and that she was going to London to appear in a stage production there.

It was indicated that Loreta Young, movie actress, will be among the witnesses in the trial. Buckner and Philippine Ambassador Felipe Buencamino are charged with having paid the malls to defraud Philippine Railway bond investors.

WOMEN'S PAGE

College For Malay Girls

A plea for higher education for the State of College, with hostel Malay girls in a College on the same lines as the College for boys at Kuala Kangsar was made by Tuan Sheikh Ahmad speaking on the adjournment of the Negri Sembilan State Council meeting.

The Hon. the British Resident, in reply, said that it was impossible at the moment to embark on any fresh expenditure, but promised that the suggestion would be forwarded to the Adviser on Education for his comments.

Speaking on the adjournment, Tuan Sheikh Ahmad said:—"I crave your indulgence in bringing up a subject which has been in my mind for a very long time. I refer to the educational facilities for Malay girls whose parents have a desire to give them English education up to the secondary classes.

VIEWED WITH DISTASTE

"It is, I believe, well known that Malay parents have for ages viewed with distaste any kind of intimacy or friendship between boys and girls especially after the latter have reached the age of 13 or 14 years. This attitude, coupled with extreme shyness on the part of the girls themselves, greatly hampers their educational progress for the girls will be compelled to leave school while yet in the elementary classes.

"There are at present about 42 girls in the State who attend either English girls' schools or mixed schools and over 500 in Malay schools. Of these a very small percentage will have the opportunity of secondary English education due to the prejudice that I have mentioned.

COLLEGE IN STATE

"In order, therefore, to extend to them a helping hand to complete their education, I respectfully beg to suggest for the national, medical and health services, earnest consideration of the Government—the establishment in probably be found necessary.

TUESDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Fresh Raspberries
Cereal
Rice Fritters
Bacon
Cinnamon Toast
Coffee

LUNCHEON

Noodle Soup
Salmon Salad
Meat Pie
Stewed Corn
Buttered Beets
Parsnips
Cheese Cake
Iced Tea

DINNER

Crab Cocktail
Artichoke Salad
Meat Balls
Tomato & Mushroom Sauce
Spinach Ring
Baked Noodles
Grilled Onion Slices
Apple Pie
Cheese
Coffee

FORMER GOVERNOR OF STRAITS WEDS

LONDON, June 26 (Reuter)—Sir Frank Athelstan Swettenham, former Governor of the Straits Settlements, is to be married today at Caxton Hall, London, to Mrs. Nell Guthrie, widow of an Irish Guards' Officer, who was killed in the Great War, according to the "Daily Mail."

FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS

The following forthcoming marriages are announced:

Mr. Arthur Robert Smith, master mariner, ss Jessie Moller, care of Messrs. Jebsen and Company, and Miss Tatjana Itzakson, dental surgeon, of No. 4 Fort Street:

Sgt. John Bertram Mansfield Wilson, of the Royal Artillery, and Miss Kwock Shoo-ye, dispensary store assistant, of No. 5 Ch' Wo Street, second floor, Kowloon.

At to-day's meeting of the Hongkong Rotary Club, a cinema film (with sound) on "Oil from the Earth" will be shown through the courtesy of Mr. J. L. Ilsley.

SHIVERED HERSELF TO LIFE

"It was much more comfortable when I was dead," said Mrs. Frances Seymour, of Alwyn Road, Malden, Berks.

She was telling how she shivered herself back to life.

Lying dangerously ill after childbirth in a Hampstead hospital, Mrs. Seymour stopped breathing for two minutes.

Doctors surrounding her bed felt her pulse; said she was dead.

They laid her body on ice and, Mrs. Seymour, promptly shivered—and was alive again.

She left the hospital, cured but not expected to live long. That was forty seven years ago.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Seymour, both aged seventy-seven, celebrated their golden wedding. "We both have charmed lives," Mrs. Seymour said.

"I remember how the pain returned as I came to, shivering on the ice-block."

Mrs. Seymour, who had cooked for King Edward VII and the Rothschilds, has escaped death in operations and road accidents four times.

Her husband, a retired coachman, has been feared dead in four accidents.

ALL OUR YESTERDAYS

"Good party last night, wasn't it?" "so disgustingly cheerful and bright this morning."

"Er—yes—I suppose so. Somehow I don't seem to remember things very clearly. I've got a vague recollection of somebody wearing a fur."

"Yes. That was you."

"Oh, I see. Tell me, Philip—do you remember me being dropped head downwards from a great height on to a concrete floor, of any chance?"

"Slight headache, eh?"

"Philip—I wish I had your flair for understatement. I feel as though I had lived on an exclusive diet of iron filings and broken glass for the last five years. What amazes me is that you seem to be

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NEWSSETTES

Mr. J. H. Montgomery, of Hongkong, visited the Rotary Club of Belfast on May 15.

The Royal Engineers Old Comrades' Association will hold a Flannel Dance at the Peninsula Hotel on July 8 at 8.30 p.m.

As from to-day the offices of the French Consulate will be opened to the general public from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily.

The death occurred in London on June 17 of Maj. General Sir W. C. Chaytor, who took part in the Great War.

Dr. C. T. Wang, who represented China at the Olympic Games Committee in London, returned to Hongkong yesterday by Imperial Airways.

The death occurred at the Singapore General Hospital on June 12 of Mrs. Joan Madge, wife of Mr. J. Madge, works foreman of Messrs. Gammon (Malaya) Ltd.

Mr. G. D. Litchfield, Superintendent of Agencies, Asia Life Insurance Co., Inc., accompanied by Mrs. Litchfield, left Hongkong for Haiphong by the ss. Esang on June 24.

The Hongkong Y.M.C.A. Club will hold a dinner at the Chinese Recreation Club, Causeway Bay, at 6.30 p.m. to-day, when the initiation of new members will take place.

A Requiem Mass will be celebrated at the St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road, at eight o'clock this morning for the repose of the soul of Mable Louise Sophie Leong, on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of her death.

Two Szechwan girls have submitted a joint petition to the National Military Council asking that they be allowed to enlist in the Chinese Army and sent to the front to fight the Japanese. They are Miss Chang Yung-chiu and Miss Yang Tsao-shui, teacher and graduate of the 4th Primary School of the Hatch Ho County of Pelling District in Szechwan.

One of the biggest Chinese society weddings to take place in Penang in recent months was solemnised at the Chinese Consulate, Northam Road, on June 15, when Miss Claire Chan, daughter of the late Mr. Chan Fook Nghee and Mrs. Chan Fook Nghee, was married to Mr. Cheah Wat Hui, the youngest son of Mr. Cheah Tat Jin.

A gavel presented by the No. 1 Rotary Club of Chicago, which was handed to Dr. Li Shu-fan to be sent to the Hongkong Rotary Club, was used at the last meeting of the Club in Hongkong.

The following were among the passengers who left Hongkong for Haiphong by the ss. Esang on June 24: Mrs. Kauf, Mr. Schenke, Miss V. H. Jolly, Mr. H. Ammann, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wong, Mr. Ho Ching-ming, Mr. Tehang Lal-tsen, Mr. D. F. Myers, Mr. Y. P. Chang, Mr. Huang Chu-chui, Mr. Tchan Wen-tsan, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chang.

His Excellency the High Commissioner of the F.M.S., Sir Shenton Thomas, has offered a medal of the best essay written by a member of the General Clerical Service Association. The High Commissioner has always displayed an interest in the movement to encourage reading among Government subordinates which is being fostered in the F.M.S. and as a practical example of his interest he has offered this medal.

The death occurred recently at Hobart, Tasmania, of Mr. Albert Henry Farr, a member of the structural staff of United Engineers, who went on leave by flying-boat in March. An Australian, aged about 45 years, he went to Malaya 10 years ago from Sydney and joined United Engineers, Singapore. He was connected with a number of important construction under takings in Singapore.

About 100,000 European refugees will find accommodation in a new colony in Yunnan Province with the assistance of the National Government and the Yunnan Provincial Government. This move was started by Mr. Jacob Berglas, a refugee from Germany where he has a banker and manufacturer. The community will be self-sustaining and European refugees will be welcome regardless of their religious beliefs or nationality.

Disbandment or combination of some of the Singapore European sub-units in the Straits Settlements Volunteer Force, unless a better response to recruiting appeals than has so far been apparent is forthcoming, was announced by Major General W. G. Dobbie, the General Officer Commanding, Malaya, in the annual report of the Force which was laid before the Legislative Council on June 15. In Penang and Malacca the European recruiting situation is satisfactory, adds Major General Dobbie, and no such steps would be needed in those units.

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Supply Of War Materials To Chinese Army

Appeal Against Decision Of Puisne Judge Fails

Recovery Of \$190,000 Paid For Supply Of Gas Masks

AN APPEAL AGAINST THE DECISION OF MR. JUSTICE R. E. LINDSELL IN STRIKING OUT PART OF A STATEMENT OF DEFENCE in connection with an action arising out of contracts for the supply of war materials to the Chinese Army, brought in the Full Court yesterday by Henri Krebs, trading as Maurice Augsborg and Company, Gloucester Building, was dismissed after a full day's hearing.

The appeal was heard by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, and Mr. Justice J. A. Faser. Appellant was represented by the Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada e Castro, Jr., and Mr. H. C. Macnamara, instructed by Mr. H. J. Armstrong, of Messrs. Deacons. Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., instructed by Mr. Sidney Ng Quinn, of Messrs. G. K. Hall Bruton and Co., appeared for respondents, the Fourth Route Army Corps of Canton.

The action, brought by the had been appropriated specifically Fourth Route Army against Mr. for the present contract. Krebs, was for the recovery of a sum of \$190,000 paid on a contract for the supply of 10,000 gas masks, which on delivery and inspection, were found to be inconsistent with samples.

In connection with this action, Mr. Krebs filed a statement of defence, part of which, rejected by Mr. Justice Lindsell and forming the subject of the appeal, was as follows:—

"The plaintiffs (Fourth Route Army) before the action were and still are indebted to the defendant (Mr. Krebs) in the sum of £42,000, the equivalent at exchange 1s. 2-7/8d. of H.K. \$677,647.08 being price of goods bargained for and sold by the defendant to the plaintiffs, and the defendant claims to set-off against the plaintiffs' claim an equal amount of the said debt due to the defendant, i.e. \$190,000."

SET-OFF PLEADED

After referring to the order and shipment of gas masks, and the subsequent action brought by the Fourth Route Army for the recovery of the sum of \$190,000, Mr. D'Almada said Mr. Krebs filed a statement of defence pleading a set-off in respect of £42,000 which was due to him in respect of 8,000 high explosive shells bargained for and sold to the plaintiffs."

This part of the statement of defence was ordered to be struck out by Mr. Justice Lindsell on the grounds that it was vexatious, frivolous and therefore an abuse of the process of the Court.

Continuing, Mr. D'Almada said that the case for the Fourth Route Army, so far as the argument in Chambers was concerned, was that the claim of Mr. Krebs could not be pleaded as a set-off but should in fact be taken out as an ordinary action by way of claim for damages for breach of contract.

The onus to prove that the statement was vexatious and vexatious was on the plaintiffs, and Mr. D'Almada submitted that this had not been discharged.

The burden of Mr. Potter's arguments in Chambers in this respect, he said, was that the agreement for 8,000 shells being a CIF contract and there being no tender or transfer of the shipping documents to the buyer, the property had not passed to the buyer wherefore obviously a claim for a liquidated sum could not be made, true course of action being damages for breach of contract.

A CIF CONTRACT

Mr. Potter submitted that the contract was in every essential a CIF contract, where no property ever passed and no payment was due until the proper documents were tendered to the buyer. It had been conceded, in this case, that no property was ever put on a ship and no documents had ever been presented.

Yet, just because of a phrase in the contract "delivery at factory" the other side had contended that the property passed to the buyers at the factory. Though 8,000 shells might have been put aside at the factory, it did not mean that it

BENCH RESERVES

JUDGMENT

Indian Sergeant Charged

DEFENCE EVIDENCE

Indian police constables and district watchmen were predominant among the spectators at Kowloon Court yesterday when remaining evidence for the defence was called in the Mongkok Market bribery case. Mr. Hin-Shing Lo, appearing for the defendant, Lance-Sergeant Amrik Singh, of Mongkok Police Station, called Sergeant Russell, of the same Station, and several Indian constables who gave evidence of the defendant's movements on the days he is alleged to have solicited for bribes from stall-holders of the market.

Singh is charged on four counts of receiving bribes, to a total of \$3,60, and on four alternative counts of misbehaviour as a police officer. Sergeant Russell, in evidence, stated he was on duty from 9 a.m. to mid-night on March 10. A few minutes before 4 a.m. he paraded certain men. The defendant was among these men, and he had paraded in uniform, belt, and revolver.

DEFENCE SUBMISSION
Mr. Lo also called to the witness-box the defendant, who denied all the charges made against him by the stall-holders.

In his submission for the defence, Mr. Hin-Shing Lo contended that the unsown statements made by the complainants in the case to the police, and their sworn testimony from the witness-box were largely contradictory in substance, that the defendant was the innocent victim of a trap set by the stall-holders to snare an Indian constable, Mr. Lo contending that the stall-holders held a grudge against the Indian constables of the Station, and that it was not possible from a cockpit in Shumchun Street to obtain a clear view of anything going on in the market below.

Mr. Hin-Shing Lo, before whom the case is being heard, reserved judgment to 11.30 a.m. on Saturday.

CROWN LAND SALES

Two Kowloon And A Rural Lot

At the Crown Land sales held at the P. W. D. yesterday, Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4147, situated at the junction of Ma Tat Wei Road and Sheung Heung Road, Ma Tat Chung, comprising an area of 37,000 square feet, was sold to Mr. T. Y. Chan, of No. 187 King's Road, at the upset price of \$42,895.

Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4148, situated at the junction of To Kwa Wan Road and Lok Shan Road, comprising an area of 50,000 square feet, was sold to Messrs. Wang Hang Banking and Mortgage and Land Investment Ltd., of No. 177 Queen's Road Central at \$37,800. The upset price was \$37,500.

Rural Building Lot No. 424, situated at the north of Rural Building Lot No. 237, Middle Gap Road, comprising an area of 18,900 square feet, was sold to Mr. G. A. Harriman, of Messrs. Harriman and Blake, at the upset price of \$2,028.

MEN OF WAR IN HARBOUR

The following men of war were in harbour yesterday:—

Gunboats—Tarantula, Seaweed, Cicala.

Submarines—Phoenix, Regent, Otus, Odin, Grampus.

Destroyers—Tenedos, Thracian, Duchess, Diana.

Foreign men of war—American Mindanao.

40 CASES OF CHOLERA

Forty cases of cholera (one imported) were notified to the Health Department on June 25, in addition to twenty-five cases of tuberculosis, five cases of enteric fever, two cases each of cerebro-spinal fever and dysentery and one case each of small-pox, diphtheria and measles.

GENERAL

Japanese Acquire H.K. Property

NEW LANDLORD'S INTENTIONS

BIG INCREASE IN RENTALS

Rapid developments have followed the purchase by Japanese interests last month of No. 2 Connaught Road Central, one of the biggest blocks of office buildings on the Central Plaza.

It was recalled that, as exclusively reported in the "Hongkong Daily Press" of June 1, this property was recently sold by the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd., to Messrs. Carroll Brothers, acting as brokers for the principal. It is now learned that the purchaser is a Mr. Toshihiko Ito, a Japanese publisher with headquarters in Formosa.

Previous information regarding the policy of the new landlord had been to the effect that no radical change was contemplated. It was stated that the whole front of the premises would be remodelled and offered as a shipping office, that tenants on the ground floor would be given notice to quit, but that beyond a minor increase or two in rent other tenants would not be affected.

Enquiries pursued by the "Daily Press" yesterday show, however, that increases asked, most of which, if not all, will start as from July 1, range as high as from 50 to 70 per cent.

For example, Messrs. Alex Ross and Company, old tenants who, it is understood, are already paying a not inconsiderable rental, have been served with a notice of an increase of between 50 and 60 per cent, and most of the other tenants are similarly affected, the percentage in the majority of cases, in fact being higher than that.

NOTICE TO QUIT

Regarding the continuance of tenancy, it is learned that occupiers of floors other than the ground floor have been given notice to leave, notably on the first floor which, according to reliable information, the purchaser intends for his own use.

Several tenants who had leases with the old landlords have been offered new ones but it is stated that in most cases, a considerably higher rental is being asked, and, in at least one case, where a lease was offered the tenant was told that he would be in any event required to move towards the end of the year.

Though naturally dissatisfied with the high increases demanded, most of the tenants intend to stay on, realising fully that they are not protected by the Prevention of Eviction Ordinance and that chances of finding other suitable accommodation in the present congested state of the Colony are very slim.

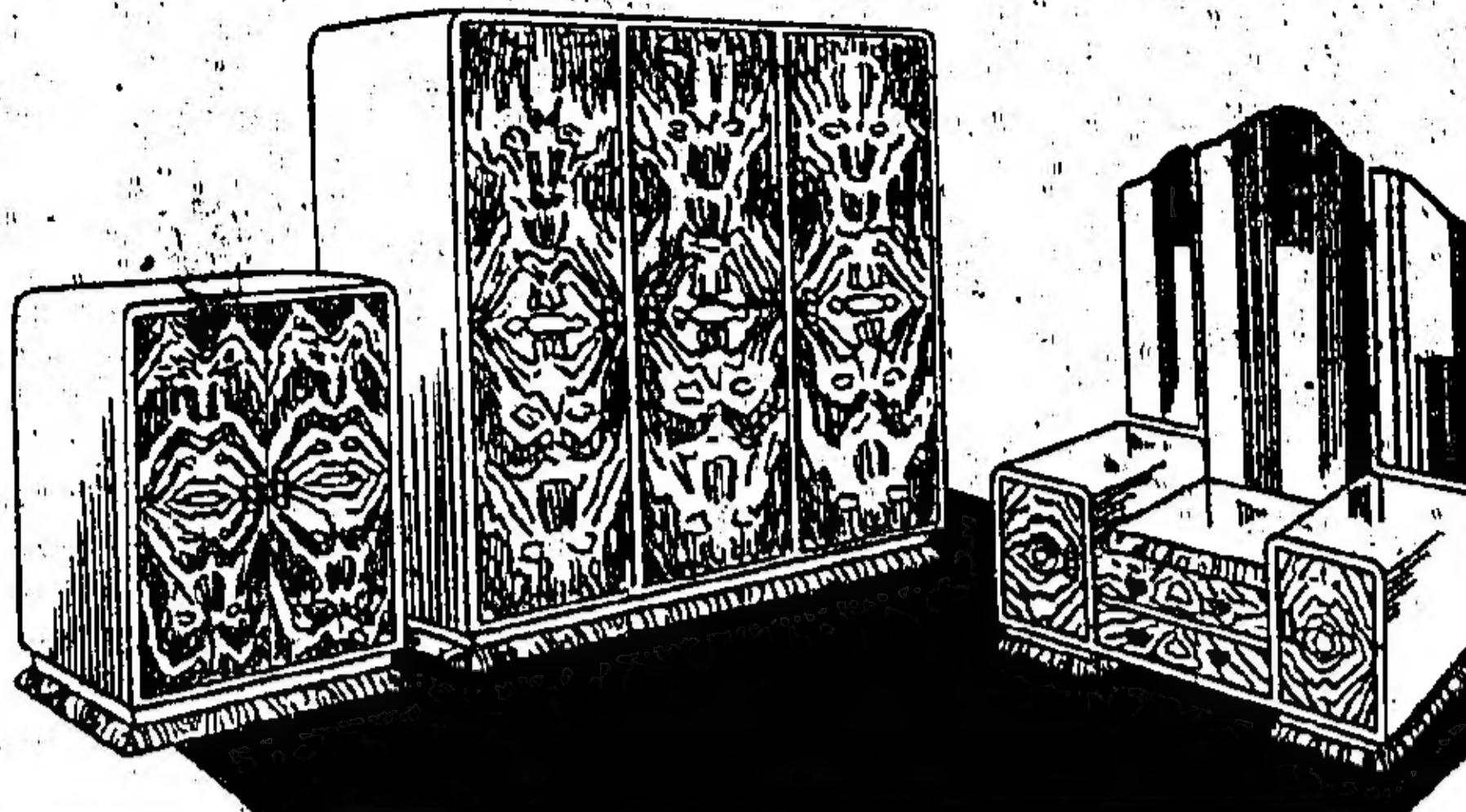
Defendant was riding a tricycle when he was stopped by the police. On the vehicle was a crate, 4ft. 2in. in diameter and 18in. high. In this crate were 62 ducks. Another crate of a smaller size contained 16 ducks and 26 chickens.

Ngai pleaded guilty to the charge, but states that he did not know the number of birds in the crates. He was told to deliver the fowls by his master.

His master admitted the fact and was ordered to pay the fine for the defendant.

Fines totalling \$50 were imposed on a married woman, Chan Mai, by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court, yesterday on charges of failing to report to the S. C. A. possession of a ward and ill-treating a child. Wong Nui, aged 5, on June 14. Defendant admitted that she had beaten the girl because of bad behaviour.

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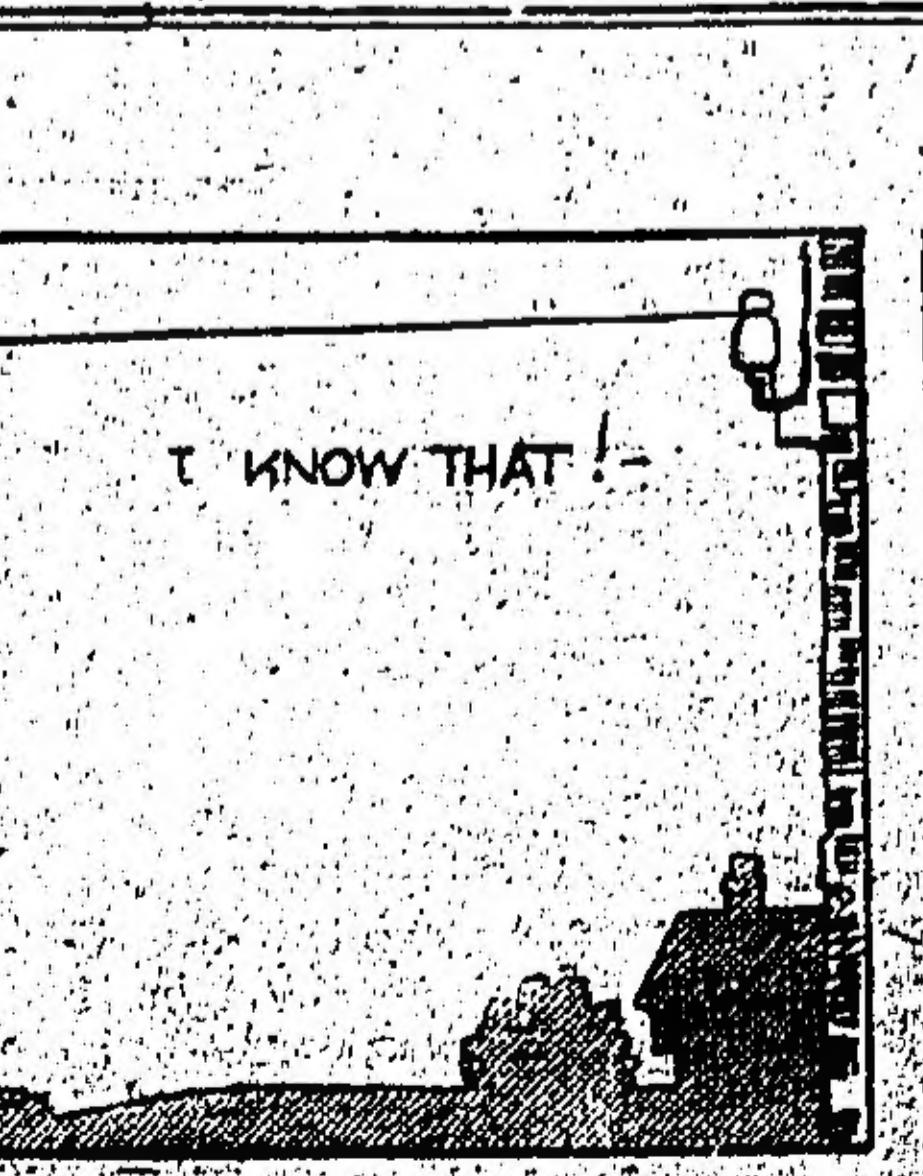
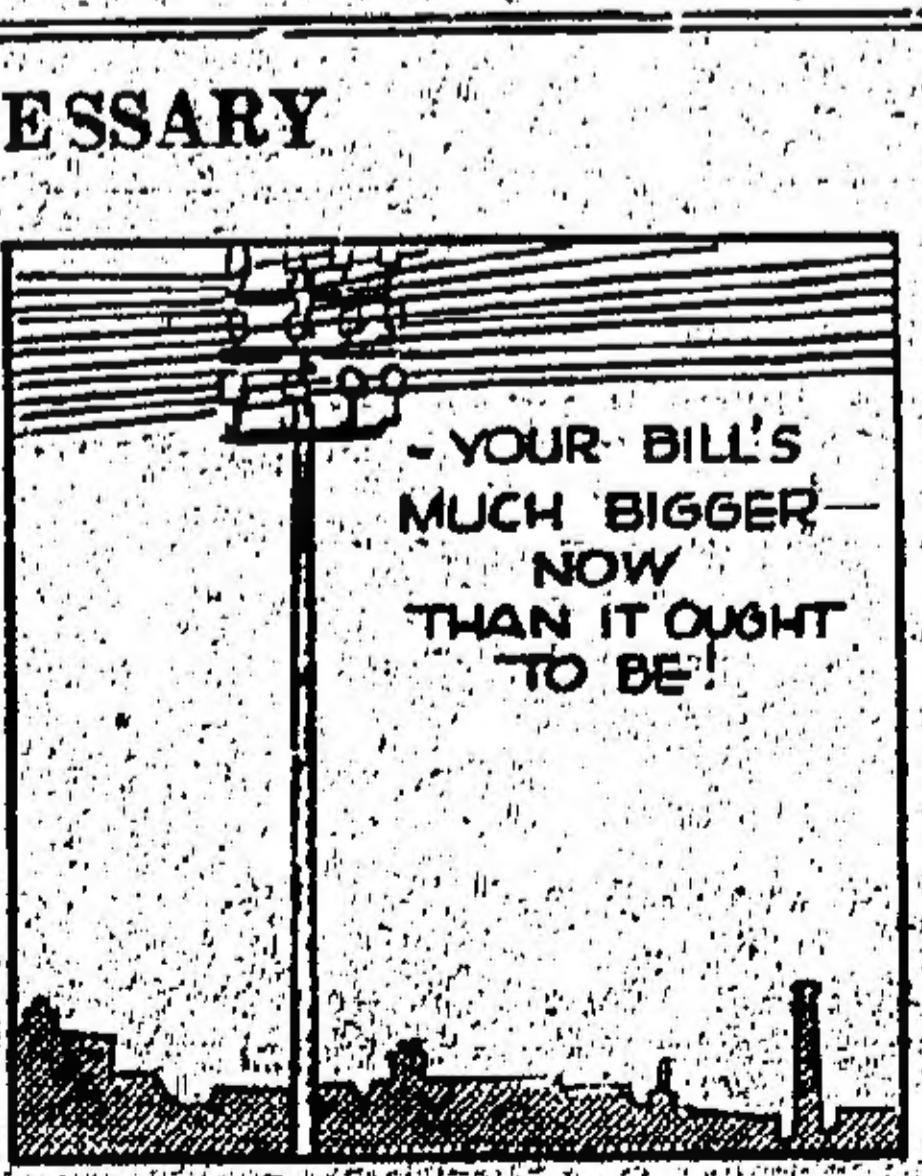
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THE PRESS,
THE PEOPLE
AND PEACE

A LETTER in the correspondence columns of a Malayan newspaper recently charged the press of the country with publishing exaggerated and misleading reports of international events and accused the newspapers there with being responsible for not only the adverse effect such reports had on business conditions, but also with fermenting bad feeling between nations. Not so very long ago, in this Colony, a lady speaker, in addressing the members of a local society, launched a similar bitter tirade against the press in Hongkong and all those agencies associated with the newspaper profession in the dissemination of news to the public. Seeing that the speaker was addressing a gathering in a British colony, it must be assumed that her remarks were directed against the English-speaking press. Her attack was based on the ground that the newspapers were guilty of alarmist tendencies regarding the march of events in these unsettled times and that, therefore, in addition to creating bitterness between nations, would be responsible eventually for plunging the world into another war. From time to time, the British press in particular, not only in Hongkong, but in countries overseas, has made it clear that their duty to their reading public is to lay before the realities of situations as they arise and that their allegedly startling and alarming headlines and reports carry in them sincere warnings calculated to suggest to the nation means whereby such eventualities might best be averted and war prevented. Apart from the fact that the British press is mainly on the side of peace efforts being pushed forward so strenuously, the very reason for glaring headlines is proof that the newspapers are doing their share, and more, in the interests of peace and against war and all that that word means to-day.

THE CHARGES of misleading the public are, therefore, totally unjustified. There is sufficient evidence to show, particularly in reference to the press in this part of the world, that if the warnings contained in their headlines relating to the hostilities in China and the intentions of the Japanese aggressors had been heeded, much of the present confusion and the perfectly intolerable position with regard to British prestige and interests in the Far East might have been avoided. The events which have followed each other in quick succession, both in Europe and the

GILMANS' SALE
OF USED CARSBugatti Racer Is
Pride Of Show

The new show-rooms in Cameron Road, Kowloon, of Messrs. Gilman and Co.'s Motor Department were opened yesterday afternoon to a steady stream of visitors, some 200 to 300, eager to see what Gilmans' had to offer this year. In the way of bargains at their annual Sale of Used Cars.

There were 31 models on display, ranging in price from \$3,500 to \$25. Top price was asked for a 1938 Hillman DeLuxe Saloon and low price for a 1931 Willys Six Tourer.

The pride of the show was a Bugatti racer, the only one of its kind in the Colony. A 1928 model, it is priced at \$1,000. Late yesterday evening rumours were prevalent in the show-rooms that one visitor had signified his intention to purchase it.

Hosts to the many visitors were Mr. Paul Braga, manager of Messrs. Gilmans' Motor Department, Mr. C. Blaker, and other members of the Sales staff. Tea and refreshments were offered and proved an attraction.

Gilmans predominated among the 31 cars on view, and Mr. Henry Ford was represented by two products of his factories. There were 10 makes of cars represented.

The Sale will be continued for at least another week, and the Sales staff are confident that every car will be on the road within that period. Yesterday, eight cars claimed new owners.

NO EVIDENCE
TO OFFER

Charges of armed robbery against Chan Wah-chung, 48, Chan Sui-nui, 28, Cheng Kau, 37, Tong Wah, 38, and Lo Ma-chin, 50, who, it was alleged, boarded junk 739V at Ching Yee Island on April 10, and robbed the master-of-the-junk, Leung Ling, of \$120 and articles of clothing, were dismissed by Mr. E. Hinsworth at the Kowloon Court yesterday.

Det. Inspector A. E. Carey applied for leave to withdraw the charges against the five defendants explaining that the police had no evidence to offer of their participation in the robbery.

JUDGMENT FOR
DEFENDANT

In the Summary Court yesterday Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell gave judgment with costs, for Tung Chun-yin, of No. 434 Nathan Road, third floor, against whom a claim for \$1,000 for damage to furniture and household goods was brought by his brother-in-law, Tsang Fat-chiu, of No. 8 Fuk Wah Street, ground floor. Plaintiff was represented by Mr. C. A. Sutherland Russ, and Mr. M. A. da Silva was for the defence.

Far East, have shown whether these warnings and headlines were justified or not.

AND THUS it is that the British press to-day continues its campaign, not of alarmist and exaggerated absurdities, but of a sincere effort to make people realize from which quarters danger threatens. The press is to-day clamouring to know the reason for the protracted delay in the negotiations being conducted with the Soviet for a pact against aggression. From the moment the idea was mooted, the press urged that it should be brought to fruition as quickly as possible, and, again, in strong headlines, foretold what would happen if this was not done as expeditiously as possible. It is admitted now that had the Soviet agreement been an accomplished fact a month ago, the present situation in Tientsin and the threat which hangs over all foreign interests in China would not have arisen. Unmoved, therefore, by such outbursts against the newspaper profession, the press will carry on its campaign in the interests of peace and time will show, as it has shown in the past few months, that once again the pen is really mightier than the sword in bringing about normal conditions to this troubled world.

Governor Pays Visit To St. Louis Industrial School

While His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, was paying a visit to the St. Louis Industrial School yesterday morning, one of the younger boys fainted when he was overcome by the heat.

The incident was noticed by Sir Geoffrey, who, on rising to reply to the address of welcome made by Fr. John Guarino, Director of the School, remarked that he would say what he had to say in a very short compass, as it was such a hot day, and the boys were standing in the sun.

His Excellency was accompanied by his private secretary, Mr. G. Treverton.

The School band played selections and accompanied the boys when they sang in Chinese a special "Youth Song" for His Excellency.

The Director expressed the deep gratification of the School in being honoured by the Governor's visit. They had looked forward to the day for a long time, and it would

now be written in letters of gold in the annals of the School.

The head boy read a brief speech of welcome on behalf of the boys themselves.

An album made entirely by the boys was presented to His Excellency.

The Governor was deeply touched by the obvious sincerity of the speech, and requested Fr. Guarino to send him a copy of it so that it could be added to the Government records of similar loyal addresses which were preserved for all time that other Governors might read.

He remarked on the industry of the Salesian Fathers who were mainly responsible for the excellent buildings of the school.

He congratulated the boys on their smartness and thought that their singing was really excellent.

An exhibition of physical training followed, after which the Governor made a tour of the classrooms and work shops.

LA SALLE O.B.A.
TO BE FORMED

About 150 former pupils of La Salle College, Kowloon, attended a meeting at the College yesterday evening called for the purpose of discussing a proposal to form an old boys' association.

The meeting, presided over by the Headmaster, the Rev. Bro. Almar, unanimously resolved to form such a body. All past pupils will be circularised and invited to join, and a meeting will be called at a later date to frame the constitution, elect officers and discuss future activities.

TWO JAPANESE
RELEASED

Mr. G. Matsumoto, secretary of the Japanese Consulate-General, and his sister, were taken into custody by police on Sunday, on suspicion of having taken photographs in Mount Davis, Road a fortified area.

The two Japanese were interrogated at the station and subsequently released, but the camera and films were held. The film, it is understood, would be developed by the police a fette.

MILITARY DRAFTS
FOR COLONY

Among the military drafts arriving in Hongkong in August will be a large number of young men who have been called up for service under the recent conscription law.

The first arrivals will come in H.M. Troopship Dilwara, which is due in Hongkong on August 4, while others will arrive by the Ettrick on August 21.

AIRPORT NEWS

Imperial Airways:
NORTHBOUND

Friday: Bangkok, Hanoi, Hong-kong.

Delta—4 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND

Friday: Hanoi, Bangkok, Denebola, Delphinus—7 and 7.30 a.m.

Air France:

NORTHBOUND

Wednesday: France, Hanoi, Hong-kong.

Service—12.30 p.m.

Pan American Airways:

EASTWARD

Wednesday: U. S. A., Manila, Hong-kong.

China Clipper—2 p.m.

WESTWARD

Thursday: Manila, U.S.A., China Clipper—8.30 a.m.

Note: The mid-week inward service of Imperial Airways, due in Hongkong on Thursday afternoon, has been delayed on the Empire route and will not arrive in the Colony until Friday afternoon.

Imperial Airways' Delphinus arrived at 5.15 p.m. yesterday with 605 kilos of mail from all Empire route ports.

Dr. C. T. Wang, representative of the Chinese Red Cross, returned to the Colony from a business conference in London by Imperial Airways' Denebola.

Mr. E. K. Holtsworth, Imperial Airways inspection engineer, arrived in Hongkong from London yesterday.

NEW JAPANESE
AIR BASE NEAR
HONGKONG

SHIUCHING, KWANGTUNG,

June 26 (Central)—Following their occupation of Nampan Island, off the coast of Yenlong, north-east of Kwang-chowwan, the Japanese are reported to be building an airfield there.

With the completion of the airfield, the Japanese will be in a strategic position against Hongkong, as the island is about 130 sea-miles from the British Colony.

EFFECTIVE AID
FOR CHINAResolution Passed
By International
Peace Campaign

CHUNGKING, June 26 (Central)

The China Branch of the International Peace Campaign has just received the following text of a resolution on effective aid to China, passed by the International Conference for the Defence of Democracy, Peace, and Humanity, held at Paris, on May 13 and 14:

"For the Chinese people, who defend successfully their liberty and their independence:

"To insist that the democratic governments carry out the decisions already reached by the League of Nations on aid to China by all the Member States."

"To secure government credits in favour of the Chinese government for the rehabilitation of its people."

Financial Aid

"To secure financial aid, raw materials, and necessary equipment for industrial co-operatives, only with which may the Chinese people reconstruct their economic life in the regions devastated by the war."

"To have organised, on a much larger scale, help in food and in sanitary materials, to the innumerable wounded, to the 400,000 orphans, to the 60,000,000 refugees,

"To develop rapidly the organisation of International Hospitals in China."

"To secure the delivery of anti-aircraft and of gas-masks for the protection of civilian population."

Embargo On Japan

"To obtain from the democratic governments a complete embargo on war materials destined for Japan, and the refusal of all credits to this State."

"To develop further the boycott of Japanese goods (particularly silk).

"To support morally and materially the dockers and all workers on strike for opposing the unloading or loading of cargoes of Japanese origin or destination."

"To take effective measures to make known to the Japanese people, deceived by their government, the true character of the Japanese aggression in China and the reprobation which it has evoked among all the peoples."

FALSE INFORMATION:
SHOP ASSISTANT
PUNISHED

June

A fine of \$25, or, in default, two months' hard labour, was imposed on Ho Yuk-shan, a shop assistant, when he pleaded guilty before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, at the Central Court yesterday, to the charge of misleading the police by giving false information.

He told the police that he had been robbed of \$14 at the side door of No. 104, Thomson Road, on Friday.

Inquiries made by the police proved that the information was false. He, however, later admitted to the police that he had invented the story and that he had lost his money.

Further evidence was heard at the Central Court yesterday that E. D. Sykes, broker, appeared before Mr. R. Edwards on remand charged with obtaining sums of \$1,250 and \$1,000 from the Reliance Motors on March 7 and 14, respectively, by false pretences.

Mr. O. E. C. Marton appeared for the prosecution while Mr. F. H. Loochay was for the defence. Mr. William A. H. Duff, Manager of Reliance Motors, resumed his stand in the witness box yesterday when cross-examination was continued.

Sir Robert Kotewall, Hon. Mr.

M. K. Lo, Dr. H. E. Sommers, Capt.

T. Brown, Meam, Donald Black,

Chas. For-jew, J. Chas. P. D. Crawley, Chan Sing-woon, W. V. Curtis,

R. A. Dastur, H. Dreyer, Walter Ege, H. Farnd, J. A. Fraser, T.

M. Gregory, Ho Wing, J. D. Humphreys, B. Hyne, H. Jephson, E.

P. H. Lang, Lam Hing, Lam Foo-wah, Montgomery Lee, P. P. Len-

fester, M. W. Lo, G. Loy, A. S. Mac-

Richan, Mak Hong, Mak Pak-tung,

Mak Tak, A. J. Menton, Henry Michael, Mow Cheong, S. K. Nash,

WEALTH OF FLORAL
TRIBUTES LAID ON
MR. G. P. LAMMERT'S GRAVE

The funeral took place at the Colonial Cemetery yesterday of Mr. George Philip Lammert, who died at the Kowloon Hospital on Sunday, aged 76. The Very Rev. J. L. Wilson, Dean of St. John's Cathedral, officiated at the graveside.

The chief mourners were his brothers, Charles, Bertie and Lionel and his nephews Messrs. E. J. R. Mitchell, A. S. Mitchell, A. H. Lammert, Jr. and L. E. Lammert, Jr.

Others present included Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell, Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, Lt.-Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Messrs. Frank W. White, W. V. Curtis, L. F. Edge, E. G. d' Aquino, A. H. Potts, P. Potts, W. Wooding, G. H. Harriman, Ho Wing, W. H. Whitley, L. Dobry, C. Hardon, Paul Servan, T. M. Gregory, V. Azra, A. R. Ellis, F. H. Tyson, B. G. Birch, A. F. Greaves, J. B. Prentis, Lt.-Col. T. A. Robertson, P. Gregory, Fred Ellis, J. Peston, F. P. Lenfestey, R. M. Omar, A. J. Walters, E. W. Hamilton, J. P. Ulster, J. Ormiston, E. Abraham, F. X. D'Almeida, Jr., C. A. Yolle, J. Noronha, S. T. Williamson;

A. W. Brown, A. Loureiro, F. Soares, R. Wilson, O. A. Smith, W. J. Geall, J. A. Tarrant, P. Tester, A. E. Budden, T. Armstrong, H. B. Joseph, C. Mycock, A. W. Grimmitt, H. A. Taylor, B. D. Evans, Peter H. Leong, Andrew Leong, C. Chang, W. G. Pirie, A. J. Edgar, F. W. Stapleton, G. A. Pentreath, G. W. Sewell, J. K. Ross, E. H. Williams, V. Benjamin, and many others.

* * * THE WREATHS *

A bouquet was sent from his family, Phyllis, Edwin, Geoffrey and grand-daughter, Ursula.

Other wreaths were sent by the following:

PUBLIC INDIGNATION GROWING OVER INDIGNITIES IN TIENSIN: GERMAN TAUNTS AT DISHONOUR TO BRITAIN

BRITON AND GERMAN-BORN WIFE SUBJECTED TO DEGRADING SEARCH

While further indignities suffered by British subjects in Tientsin are revealed by Reuter—the latest stripping incidents involving a Briton and his German-born wife—public indignation in London is growing unmistakably over these insults and official quarters are reported to be duly impressed by the need for action.

In the meantime, "the dishonour which Britain is having to endure" in Tientsin is being loudly proclaimed in Germany, where gibes are being made in public speeches at British threats in retaliation.

NO FORCE BEHIND THREATS

Dr. Goebbels, in a speech in Cologne, ridiculed British policy. "There is no force behind their threats," he said. "The Japanese can strip Britons naked and they can do nothing."

TIENTSIN, June 26 (Reuter)—Following repeated representations by the British Consul-General, Mr. G. A. Smith, the Briton who was arrested by the Japanese on June 17, has been released.

DEGRADING SEARCH

It was revealed yesterday that a Briton, Mr. D. Findlay, and his German-born wife, were victims of a degrading search outside the Concession, while en route to the Country Club, of which Mrs. Findlay is the manageress.

After queuing up for a search in a hut for about one hour, they were taken into separate rooms and ordered to strip, until the husband was clad only in a singlet and his wife in a small under-garment, both exposed to the view of any onlooker.

The Japanese sentry was an interested spectator of the stripping of Mrs. Findlay, which was carried out by a Chinese female searcher.

Parade Not Held

CHUNGKING, June 26 (Central)—Owing to the strict precautionary measures taken by the British authorities, the proposed parade of the Japanese-controlled White Russian volunteers into the British Concession in Tientsin failed to take place yesterday, according to a report from that city.

The Russians, it is stated, did not take any other action aside from holding a meeting in the First Special District. Meanwhile, Britons continued to be subjected to indignities by the Japanese. Yesterday three Britons, including one woman, were forced to wait under a boiling sun at the barrier for a considerable length of time before they were finally allowed to pass.

No Relaxation

The Japanese restrictions on the entrance of vegetables into the Concessions have not been relaxed. Very little vegetables and meat were carried into the Concessions yesterday.

British precautions in the Concession are being continued. Riot vans of the British Municipal Council appear at given points at regular intervals, while the British soldiers assist in patrolling the streets.

Economic Measures

CHUNGKING, June 26 (Central)—In an attempt to reduce the importance of the foreign concessions in Tientsin, the Japanese have formed a commission to apply "economic measures" against these areas, according to a Tientsin report.

The commission, with headquarters in Peking, consists of four

DISHONOUR WHICH BRITAIN IS HAVING TO ENDURE

BEIJING, June 26 (Reuter)—"The dishonour which Britain is having to endure" in Tientsin was discussed by the German Labour Leader, Herr Ley, before 16,000 cheering political leaders in Potsdam.

"Wherever one looks in this world Empire one sees 'failure upon failure,'" he asserted, adding that Britain could have spared herself this situation if she had not refused the repeated offers of the German Fuehrer to come to a friendly and sensible union with Germany.

"Britain is experiencing in Tientsin the blockade she once applied against Germany," he declared, "but worse than this she must put up with the disgrace."

"It is not a question of material things, that is under de-

GROWING PUBLIC INDIGNATION

LONDON, June 25 (Reuter)—

Reuter's diplomatic correspondent learns that official quarters in London are very much impressed by the growing feeling of public indignation in Britain aroused by reports from Tientsin of the brutal and degrading treatment of British subjects at the hands of Japanese soldiers and officials.

It is expected that this feeling will not fail to react upon the Government if Japan refuses to give satisfaction in regard to the proposals submitted to Tokyo, which embrace a frank admission of the points at issue and an immediate cessation of the incidents which Mr. Neville Chamberlain referred to as "intolerable."

late in the Far East, but the dishonour England is having to endure

CHINA WAR:

SHANSI OFFENSIVE EFFECTIVE

QUIET ON HUNAN & KIANGSI FRONTS

LOYANG, June 26 (Central)

The Chinese counter-offensive against the Japanese along the Shansi-Hunan border is making steady progress, latest military despatches from the front reveal.

One column has reached the immediate outskirts of Yuanku, strategic town on the Shansi-Hunan border. Bitter fighting is raging in that area and it is said that the Japanese casualties are heavy.

A heavy gun duel between the Japanese, at Yuanku, and the Chinese, on the south bank of the Yellow River, raged on Saturday, but both lines remained intact.

The Japanese at Wangmou-chuan and Kao-lochen, north-west of Yuanku, were repulsed by the Chinese in a vigorous pincer attack, and are retreating in confusion towards Henglinkwan.

Prior to their retreat, the Japanese set fire to the houses in Kao-lochen, completely razing the town to the ground.

Hunan And Kiangsi Fronts

MILO, HUNAN, June 26 (Central)—Quiet now prevails on the north Hunan and Kiangsi fronts.

The Chinese and Japanese forces in north Hunan are still facing each other along a four-mile front on the north bank of the Sinsiang River.

The situation northeast of Kao-an, and along the Chin River in northern Kiangsi remains unchanged. The Chinese continue to send raiding parties to harass the Japanese.

Japanese planes, taking off from Nanchang, have been conducting reconnaissance over the Chinese positions during the past few days.

MISSIONARIES KILLED DURING AIR RAID

SHANGHAI, June 26 (Reuter)—Word has just been received that the Rev. A. A. Caswell and his wife, Protestant missionaries of the Canadian Holiness Movement Mission at Changshieh, Hunan, were both killed during a Japanese air raid on that city on June 24.

No Dictation

LONDON, June 26 (Reuter)—The hope that Mr. Neville Chamberlain's word to Germany and Japan will be taken to heart in those countries is expressed by "The Times" in an editorial:

The writer adds that Mr. Chamberlain made it quite clear that Great Britain would suffer no dictation as to her policy in the Far East and that he still hoped the Japanese Government had no intention of condoning the excesses of its soldiers.

In any case, no British Government can tolerate, without appropriate reprisal, the scandalous ill-treatment of its subjects in foreign territory.

PRESS VIEWS

LONDON, June 26 (T/Ocean)—The Far East tension continues to attract the greatest attention in the British press. The diplomatic correspondent of the "Daily Mail" reports that the Government contemplated publication of a detailed account of the "insufferable insults" which Japan had inflicted on British subjects. It was being considered, the paper says, to support this official account by affirmations from the Englishmen concerned.

The "Daily Mail" further reports that agreement might be reached with Japan on the question of the extradition of the four Chinese agitators who were being sheltered at the moment in the British Concession in Tientsin. If, however, Japan did not moderate her attitude the British Government would be obliged to adopt measures which would prove to the Japanese Government the determination not to tolerate any further insults. The entire question, the paper says in conclusion, would be examined by the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Commons on Monday.

U.S. CONCERN

SHANGHAI, June 26 (Int'l)—The American community here and in Hankow have expressed concern over the charges of anti-Japanese activities by the Rev. L. W. Holland, an American Methodist Episcopal Missionary in Nanchang.

Such accusations were made by the Japanese army, but denied by Rev. Holland. The charges are considered serious, and it is feared that the American is under detention. Both yesterday's engagements were located near Lake Buinor, where a big battle is reported to have occurred on June 22.

AMAZING JAPANESE CLAIM

133 SOVIET PLANES SHOT DOWN!

BORDER BATTLE ON JUNE 22

PRESS VIEWS

TOKYO, June 26 (Reuter)—Press reports claim that 133 Soviet planes were brought down in the fighting on the "Manchukuo"-Mongolian border since June 20.

It is stated that a further fourteen Soviet aircraft were challenged by Japanese scouting planes yesterday and that three were shot down.

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ANGLO-FRENCH SOLIDARITY

UNANIMOUS AGREEMENT REACHED AT SINGAPORE DEFENCE CONFERENCE

SINGAPORE, June 26 (Reuter)—The Anglo-French Defence Conference sat for nine hours yesterday and is expected to close to-day.

A communiqué which was issued states that unanimous agreement was reached on all matters of policy.

At the conclusion of the Conference, Admiral Sir Percy Noble, Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, will sail aboard his flagship H.M.S. Kent for Northern China waters, and Reuter understands that the Kent will be sailing this evening.

Entirely Conjectural

The communiqué was the first issued since the Conference opened.

GERMAN TAUNTS AT BRITAIN

COLOGNE, June 26 (Reuter)—

Mr. Neville Chamberlain's Cardiff speech has provided Dr. Goebbels, German Minister of Propaganda, a theme for his address at a Nazi Party meeting.

"We want no promises from London, but deeds," he declared.

"If affairs come to a crisis we are ready to take the risk and follow the Government, because he who does not gamble, cannot win."

British Ministers threaten, that does not matter to us. There is no force behind their threats.

"The Japanese can strip Britons naked and they can do nothing. Once the Kaiser, the army and the nation were all gone away. That happened once but will never happen again."

The King and Queen were expected to return to London yesterday evening from the Royal Lodge, Windsor, after a complete rest during the week-end. On Sunday they walked through Windsor Great Park with the Princesses to attend Divine service. (Reuter).

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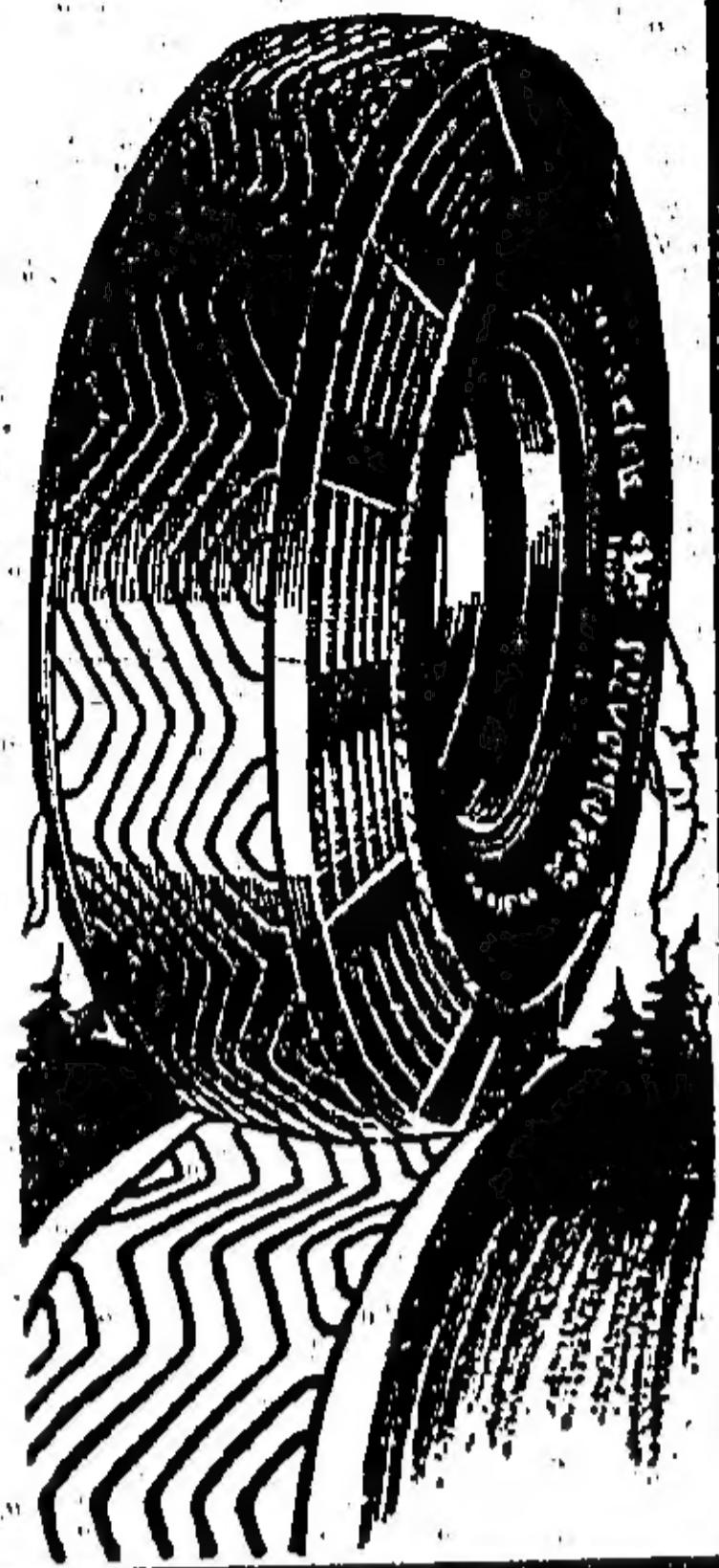
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The high standard of cleanliness maintained in the manufacture of one of the most popular beverages—beer—was displayed to a party of representatives of the Shanghai international press by officials of the Union Brewery Company, Limited, when they led the party on a tour of inspection of their 4-storey brewery building at 138 Ichang Road recently.

The plant, the largest in the Far East, is at present working at capacity and producing 50 million bottles of beer annually, and the visitors were shown the high standard of organization prevailing at the brewery and particularly the fact that nothing connected with the production of the beer is touched by human hand. The entire process of manufacturing is carried out by machinery under the most sanitary conditions.

COMPLICATED PROCESS

The party of 15 newspapermen spent the better part of three hours going over the brewery under the guidance of Mr. I. N. Zadoff, supervising manager of the factory. They were impressed by the complicated nature of the process of manufacture.

By far the most interesting part of a brewery inspection tour so far as the layman is concerned, is to see the bottle washing, filling, inspection, sorting, labeling and crating.

BOTTLING AND WASHING

First, all sorts of bottles are sorted out. After being found suitable to hold beer, they are sent up to the floor above, in groups of about 20 by a special machine. Upstairs the bottles find their way into special washing machines where each bottle is washed no less than 210 times in steam, soap and water, before it reaches the end of the machine when it is considered as being a clean container.

The bottles, by this time, are all lined up on moving racks and pass through a filling machine, then a capping machine, and finally start on the critical inspection belt. Everything so far had been done by men, but here women take over. They are inspectors who snatch bottles off

the moving rack at the slightest suspicion of imperfection. The girls see that the bottles are filled properly yet not too full, so that they do not break during the pasteurization which is yet to follow.

Needless to say, the girls become expert at this task and added to that, each bottle must pass a magnifying glass test at two stages. Here the bottle of beer is inspected for any impurities. This inspection stage is the severest test of all and it is surprising the number of bottles that are taken off the rack for destruction, because of impurity not visible to the naked eye.

CRITICAL INSPECTION

The bottles that remain on the continuous moving rack now go into pasteurization vats for preservation of the contents. From here, they go on racks to the labelling machines and into moving holders which transport the bottled beer to the ground floor for crating and marketing.

The management of the Union Brewery will arrange for the inspection of the plant by groups at any time so that they may see for themselves how U. B. beer is made, the machinery required, and the strictly hygienic conditions that prevail at this most efficient institution.

**R.E.O.C.A. FLANNEL
DANCE ON JULY 8**

The Royal Engineers Old Comrades' Association are holding a Flannel Dance on the night of July 8 at the Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon, dancing from 8:30 p.m. till 1 a.m.

Music will be provided by Dance Orchestra of the 1st Bn. Middlesex Regiment (D.C.O.), by kind permission of Lt.-Col. L. A. Newham,

**H.K. POLICE
RESERVE**

Orders by the Hon. C. G. Perdue, Commissioner of Police,
CHINESE COMPANY

Training Course—Part II. The undermentioned members of the Chinese Company will attend Chinese Company Headquarters for Part II of Training Course on Tuesday, June 27 at 12.30 hours sharp:

Constables R106 Tang Shiu-woon, R111 Chan Chi-wing, R112 Chan Ching-man, R124 Peter Francis Lee, R128 Chan Yiu-hing, R129 Li Chung, R130 Chan Tak-cheong, R131 Lam Kwok-fee, R132 Law Man-cho, R133 Chan Cheon-kiang, R134 Leung Tak-wong, R135 Yung Fook-Pui, R136 J. Tam Hung, R137 Li Tung Sang, R138 Cecil H. G. Leong, R139 Chan Wai-shun, R140 Wei Ying-yuen, R141 Lo Shiu-kwai, R142 Seah Cheow Hong, R143 John Ma, R144 Wu Man-hon and R145 William Ho.

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D.S.R. (R.)**
Hongkong, June 26, 1939.

M.C. and Officers. Novelties and spot prizes will be provided. Tickets:—Ladies \$1; Gents. \$1.50; Members below the rank of Sergeant—\$1.

Tables may be reserved on application to the Hon. Secretary R.E.O.C.A., Whitfield Barracks, Kowloon—Tel. No. 59191, Extension 23, or to the Hotel—Tel. Kowloon 58081.

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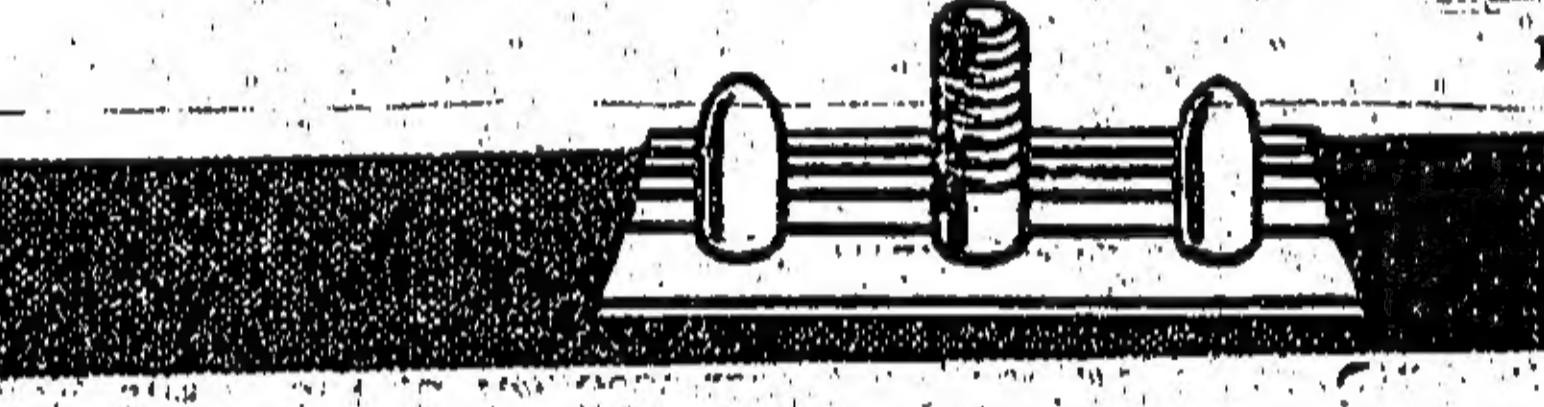
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MOTION AGAINST EDITOR FAILS

Publication Of Franco's Statement Not "Contempt"

A motion to commit Mr. Geoffrey Dawson, editor of "The Times," to prison for alleged contempt of Court was dismissed by Mr. Justice Simonds in the Chancery Division, London. The motion was brought by Mr. Henri de Reding following the report of a speech by General Franco about a £2,000,000 fund lodged in Britain by the Spanish Republican Government.

Mr. de Reding, as one of the trustees of this fund, is a defendant with others in an action brought by the State of Spain for possession. The fund, it has been stated, was deposited for use among Spanish refugees.

General Franco was reported to have said that in Great Britain "a great part of the wealth of the Spanish banks remained sequestered and subject to litigation owing to the monstrous survival of a supposed humanitarian society formed by the Reds after their cowardly flight."

The statement as to the "monstrous survival of a supposed humanitarian society" was one, said Sir Stafford Cripps, for Mr. de Reding, which clearly cast upon Mr. de Reding the imputation that he was connected with some very undesirable thing.

REFLECTION ON PARTY

It was clearly the type of thing which the Courts had said must not be said, when an action was before the Court with respect to a party to an action, because it would tend to make that party think he ought to compromise or withdraw his defence—in other words, to bring pressure upon him from outside in order to influence the conduct of the action.

Largely owing to reports in "The Times" and other newspapers, it was well known that he was one of the defendants in the proceedings and a trustee of the declaration of trust.

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Oslo
Nanking, Gilman's, June 28.
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Pres. Monroe, A. P. Lines, July 20.
President Roussel, Messageries, July 20.
Antilochus, B. & S., July 22.

WORLD'S HEAVIEST INGOT MOULD

The Brightside Foundry & Engineering Co. has produced at its Sheffield works the heaviest cast iron ingot mould in the world.

It will be used at the Vickers works of the English Steel Corporation for producing ingots of well over 200 tons in weight.

More than 170 tons of molten metal were required to cast the mould, the six ladies used requiring 8½ minutes to run.

ANGLO-RUMANIAN TRADE DISCUSSION

LONDON, June 24 (T/Ocean)

The negotiations conducted by the Rumanian trade delegation in London are now practically concluded, according to inform

ed city quarters.

It is stated that the Board of Trade has consented to grant Rumania a additional credit of £50,000,000 over and above the original five millions granted by the British Government under the terms of the Anglo-Rumanian trade agreement.

The condition for granting this supplementary credit is that it shall be affected exclusively to the purchase of war material from British firms.

WOULD NOT BE INFLUENCED

Giving judgment, Mr. Justice Simonds said in the present case it was not suggested that the course of justice was likely to be perverted or deflected so far as any judgment of the Court was concerned.

It was not a case in which the mind of a jury was likely to be influenced by any matter which appeared in "The Times" or any other newspaper. It was not a case which came before a jury, and it had been repeatedly said that the mind of the Court was not likely to be influenced by such matters.

"In a matter of this kind," he added, "it must always be a question of degree. It seems to me that the case falls far short of such circumstances as would justify me in granting relief upon this ground."

CHINESE CURRENCY MEASURES

CHUNGKING, June 28 (Central)

A spokesman of the Ministry of Finance, in a statement issued yesterday, declared that the restrictions on withdrawals from Chinese banks in Shanghai, which were enforced last week, will be removed as soon as the financial situation in the port city returns to normal.

He explained that the emergency measures were temporary and that they were enforced to check heavy purchase of foreign exchange and to stabilize the currency situation in Shanghai.

The spokesman also added that the currency regulations issued by the Ministry of Finance on August 15, 1937, will continue to be effective.

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NEW CONTRACTS

Messrs. Stanton Ironworks Company, Limited, near Nottingham, have received an order from Messrs. United Kingdom Gas Corporation, Limited, 9, Clement's Lane, London, E.C.4, for 52 miles of high-pressure gas mains. The pipes will form the main underground artery of the first stage of the West Yorkshire Gas Grid.

Messrs. Associated Electric Vehicle Manufacturers, Limited, 23-4 Grand Buildings, Trafalgar-square, London, W.C.2, have received a large order from Russia for their Electricar factory trucks.

The value of the contract, inclusive of a trial order recently delivered, is about 15,000L.

FACTORY OUTPUT IN AUSTRALIA

From 1936 to 1938 the value of Australian manufacturing production increased from £162,000,000 to £190,000,000. During 1938 additional factories, totalling 300, began production.

A large cotton-spinning company, with headquarters in Melbourne, is planning a £1,000,000 scheme for establishment of subsidiary companies in Sydney, Melbourne, and Brisbane. Melbourne, and Brisbane.

TOY EXPORTS DROP

Germany's toy export trade suffered set-back in 1938 after advancing steadily for three years.

German toy shipments abroad last year were valued at \$13,850,000 against \$15,184,000 in 1937. The 1937 figure was about 15 per cent higher than that of 1936 and 35 per cent in excess of 1934. The recession in 1938 is attributed by the German toy industry to Japanese competition and to organized boycotts in important foreign markets.

RHODESIA RAILWAYS

Rhodesia Railways have ordered

from a Manchester firm four heavy passenger locomotives which, it is claimed, will be the most powerful engines in the world operating on 60-lb rails. Each will weigh approximately 174 tons. They are required for working the through runs for 500 miles between Mafeking and Bulawayo and are capable of a speed of 50 miles an hour.

GERMANY'S EXPORTS

Germany's exports of musical instruments during 1938 were valued at \$10,598,000 compared with \$12,246,000 during 1937, a decrease of 7.4 per cent. Exports of pianos, accordions and mouth organs accounted for 87.8 per cent of the value of all musical instrument exports during 1938.

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No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 1st July, 1939, will be subject to rent.

All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 15th July, 1939, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

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No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

June 26, 1939

On London:— Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 11/18 Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 11/18 Credits 4 months' sight 1/2 15/18

On Shanghai:— On demand 218

On Singapore:— On demand 12 3/8

On Japan:— On demand 104 3/4

On India:— Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 7/8 and demand

On New York:— Bank Bills, on demand 28 5/8 Credits, 60 days' sight 29 1/8

On Batavia:— On demand 63 3/4

On Paris:— Bank Bills, on demand 1080 Credits 4 months' sight 1132

On Saigon:— On demand 107 3/4

On Manila:— On demand 57 1/3

On Bangkok:— On demand 151 1/4

Sterling Notes:— Bank Buying Rate 1/37/8

Bar Silver per oz. 19 5/8

Market Report

FROM ROZA BROS

Silver prices rose 3/18 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 19 5/8 for Ready and 19 7/16 for Forward. Silver advances reported Speculators as having sold. There was some Indian demand. Buyers were satisfied. The market was steady. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 468.12 New York/London was quoted at 468.1/8.

Markets
Steady but dull.
Sterling

No business was reported. There were sellers at 1/213/16 June/August, 1/225/32 September/October and 1/23/4 November/December, buyers at 1/227/32 Cash, 1/213/16 September and probably 1/225/32 December.

U.S. Dollars
Quiet. There were sellers at 28 7/8 June/July, 28 13/16 August, buyers at 28 15/16 Cash and 28 7/8 August.

Shanghai Dollars
Sellers at 217 1/2, buyers probably at 218 for cash.

Shanghai Market
Sellers of Sterling at 6.25/32 for June. U.S. sellers at 13.7/32 for June.

Afternoon Market
The market was quiet in the afternoon.

Sterling
No business was reported, finishing with sellers at 1/213/16 June/August, 1/225/32 September/October and 1/23/4 November/December, buyers at 1/227/32 Cash, 1/213/16 September and probably 1/225/32 December.

U.S. Dollars
The market closed with sellers at 28 7/8 June/first half August, buyers at 28 15/16 Cash and 28 7/8 August.

Shanghai Dollars
Sellers at 217, buyers at 218
Shanghai Market
Unchanged, steady.

Shanghai Exchange
Shanghai, June 26 (Reuter)

Official T.T. Rates
London 0/6-1/2
New York 12-5/8

Japan 46
Paris 5.48
Hongkong 36

Open Market—Selling Rates
Sterling
Opening Closing
Sellers

Spot 0/6-25/32 0/6-25/32
June 0/6-25/32 0/6-25/32
July 0/6-15/32 0/6-15/32

U.S. Dollars
Spot 13-1/4 13-9/32

June 13-7/32 13-1/4

July 12-19/32 12-5/8

Market—Quiet but steady.

Merchant Rates
Sterling 0/6-11/16.

U.S. Dollars, 13.

Silver Duty Rate
The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. to-day was 1/213/16, unchanged from yesterday.

The Equalisation rate was 28 per cent.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

With no market news from London and New York only a shade easier, this market opened quietly: Buyers and Sellers being unable to get together up to noon when the Exchange was closed, in memory of the late Mr. Geo. P. Lammert, a former member of the Exchange.

BUYERS

H.K. Bank, \$125.

Provident, \$4.65.

Raubis, \$3.40.

H. & S. Hotels, \$5.

H.K. Lands, \$35.

H.K. Lands, 4% Debentures par.

H.K. Tramways, \$164.

Star Ferries, \$36.

China Lights (O), \$8.20.

H.K. Electrics, \$55.

Canton Ices, \$1.

Watsons, \$8.40.

H.K. Govt, 4% Loan 4%pm.

SELLERS

Canton Ins., \$230.

Union Ins., \$437.

H.K. Fires Ins., \$185.

H. & S. Hotels, \$5.70.

H.K. Lands, \$352.

H.K. Tramways, \$164.

SALES

China Underwriters, \$135.

H.K. Lands, \$354.

PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING QUOTATIONS

Centavos

Antaromoks 21

Benguet Consol. 10.60

Batang Buhay 013

Big Wedge 21

Coco Grove 31

Mindanao 04

Itogors 24

Masbate Consolidated 11

Paracales Gumaus 221

San Mauricio 93

Surigao Consol. 201

United Paracale 421

Market Comment—Quiet.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATION

STOCKS Last Sale June 24

Adams Express 16¹/₂

Allied Stores 6¹/₂

Allis Chalmers 34¹/₂

Amerada Corp. 66¹/₂

Amer. Can. 94

Amer. & Foreign Power 19¹/₂

Amer. Gas & Elec. 34¹/₂

Amer. Locomotive 18

Amer. Metals Co. 33

Amer. Radiator 12¹/₂

Amer. Rolling Mill 13¹/₂

Amer. S'ring & R'ng Co. 42¹/₂

Amer. Sugar B'ng 162¹/₂

Amer. Tel. & Tel. 162¹/₂

Appleton 6¹/₂

Armco 73¹/₂

J. & Laughlin Steel \$7 pid. 43¹/₂

Kennecott Copper 32¹/₂

Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass 47

Lockheed Aircraft 26¹/₂

Loew's Inc. 43¹/₂

Manhattan Shirt Co. 12¹/₂

Martin, Glen L. 34

McKesson Robbins 6¹/₂

Monsanto Chemical 98

Montgomery Ward 51¹/₂

Nat'l. Dairy Products 16¹/₂

Nat'l. Distillers 28

National Gypsum 11¹/₂

National Load 20¹/₂

Nat'l. Power & Light 8

National Steel Corp. 60¹/₂

Nat'l. Supply Corp. 74

New York Central 14¹/₂

Niagara Hudson Power 6¹/₂

N. American Aviation 15¹/₂

Northern Pacific 22

Pacific Gas & Elec. 31

Pacific Lighting 47¹/₂

Packard Motors 34

Paramount Pictures 9

Pennsylvania R.R. 17¹/₂

Philippe-Dodge 34¹/₂

Phillips Petroleum 34¹/₂

Public Service of N.J. 38

Case, J.L. 23

Celanese 23

Consolidated Edison 30¹/₂

Continental Can. 39¹/₂

Continental Oil 22¹/₂

Corn Products 65¹/₂

Curtiss Wright (O) 5¹/₂

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S. FOU J. CHEN,
Manager.**GIRL'S AGE SAVES HER LIFE****SHE HAD BOMB THAT COULD KILL SCORES**

Instead of being sentenced to death by a British military court at Jerusalem Rachel Rabushush, a Yemenite Jewess, was sentenced to life imprisonment—because doctors and the court disagreed over her age.

One doctor said she was seventeen. Another said she was nineteen. And the court finally decided she was under eighteen and therefore could not be sentenced to death.

Disguised By Veil

Rachel, who was also known as Ohevami ("Lover of the People"), was accused of carrying a dangerous internal machine "which, if it had exploded, would have killed scores of people."

The bomb was made of eleven pounds of iron fragments, twelve sticks of gelignite, and two detonators attached to a cheap pocket-watch and electric battery.

Rachel, disguised by a veil as a Moslem woman, was caught with a ten-year-old Arab boy suspected she was not a Moslem because the basket she paid him to carry contained a Jewish loaf instead of the flat Arab bread.

He told a policeman, who investigated and arrested the girl.

Parents Wept

Rachel listened to the evidence without a trace of emotion and when Major Catharine, President of the court, asked if she had anything to say before sentence she replied: "I have nothing to say."

After sentence she shook hands without a trace of emotion, and her attorney, British barrister Edward David Gottlieb, then got into a Black Maria with four armed British constables and a prison wardress and was taken to Bethlehem Women's Prison.

During the case she made no statement—not even to her lawyer.

It is believed in Army Intelligence circles that Rachel belonged to a secret Jewish terrorist organisation whose members are sworn to silence.

DISTURBING PEACE & ORDER**Chinese Communists Sentenced At Harbin**

TOKYO, June 26 (Reuters)—Sentences ranging from death to five years imprisonment were passed in "Manchukuo" on 114 Chinese Communists who were arrested in March 1938, according to an official announcement at Hsingking.

The Communists were tried at the Harbin High Court. Ten were sentenced to death, seven to life imprisonment.

They were accused of disturbing peace and order in accordance with instructions issued by the Seventh Convention of the Comintern in 1935.

The company started manufacturing in Belfast in 1925. At that time girls were trained in special methods of hand-sewing, but the material was woven in Dublin. In 1932 looms were erected, and since then business has steadily increased, necessitating removal to larger premises on two occasions.

GOLF OFFICIAL'S PLAN

Major Forbes Bell, secretary of the Royal Liverpool Club, where the Amateur Golf Championship is being played, puts forward an interesting suggestion for limiting the number of clubs a player may carry.

The maximum is 14. Major Forbes Bell advocates the fixing of a maximum weight of clubs, bag and equipment to be carried by the player's caddie. All weight in excess would be charged at 6d per lb.

In some instances caddies, besides carrying a huge bag, are expected to take an umbrella, mackintosh clothing, an extra sweater, a plentiful supply of golf balls, with occasionally an extra pair of shoes and a shooting stick.

The Royal and Ancient Club officials have taken no steps to enforce the 14 club limit rule. The matter is being left to the individual player to challenge his opponent on the number of clubs being carried.

CHINA'S NOVEL METHOD OF EDUCATION: PUBLICITY AND TOURING PARTIES

CHUNGKING, June 25 (Central)—Chinese education is no longer confined to the classroom and the lecture hall. Under the stimulus of war the government has been bringing education to the masses in a multitude of new forms.

Unique among the many new methods is the "educational boat" which piles the rivers of Szechuan. This 20-ton junk has by its stage plays, musical shows, radio talks, and movie performances helped to educate 500,000 along the Yangtze and Kialin rivers since its launching last September.

Operating on the same principle as the "educational boat" number of "educational cars" are touring the network of highways in the rear provinces. The cars are maintained by the Ministry of Education, various provincial departments of education, and public organisations. The Chungking Y.M.C.A. has two such cars educating Szechuan farmers along the provincial highways. No less than 1,200,000 people came in contact with the "Y" cars in 1938.

Touring Of Towns

The Ministry has also organised a number of troupes touring towns and cities in free China to educate the masses. More than 1,000 elementary and secondary school teachers from various war areas have been organised and divided into three dramatic troupes, two choruses, and a number of social education corps. to work in the hinterland.

Chinese education literally has gone "underground" in Kwangsi since the war. As one of the

means of educating many hundreds of thousands of illiterates in Kwangsi, and protecting them from Japanese air bombings, numerous caves of the hills are used as classrooms for mass education. There, all the necessary rudiments of wartime knowledge are passed on to Kwangsi people who seek refuge and enlightenment in these natural shelters.

Publicity Corps

However, the effective means of popular education is probably still the numerous street-corner publicity corps organised by young students, public functionaries, party members, merchants, and workmen. They give lectures, stage plays, and sing patriotic songs wherever and whenever a crowd is gathered.

"For those who can read a little, there are numerous wall-newspapers posted in public squares. These wall-newspapers are brightly illustrated with cartoons, pictures, and contain short essays and stories of war. Woodcuts are used to full advantage in educating the masses.

For educated people who want to further their knowledge, discussion groups, and reading groups have been organised. In these groups, topics ranging from personal life to international intrigue and complicated political theories are discussed.

Mass Education

Mass education at the front is carried on with vigour by numerous political workers and educated soldiers. A unit which is stationed on the Hupeh-Kiangsi border teaches people in that district to read and write by asking them to read three Chinese characters when passing sentry posts. The same unit has also conducted a number of short courses within three or four miles of the front line.

Education behind Japanese lines is also making much progress. Villages and towns where schools existed before the war are now dotted with institutions of learning. There, the principles and practice of guerrilla warfare are taught as well as other subjects that meet the special needs of the "occupied" areas.

CAMBRIDGE PH.D. FOR CEYLONNESE

The University of Cambridge has conferred the degree of Doctor of Philosophy on Professor A. W. Mailaganam of the Ceylon University College, sometime Senior Scholar and Internal Research Scholar of Emmanuel College, Cambridge, and Research student of the Privy Council's Committee for Scientific Research for a discovery in Atomic-Physics.

The experiments that led to this discovery were carried out in the Physical Laboratories of the Ceylon University College.

The Household Staff of 403 The Peak (Mr. Wynne Jones), St. John's Cathedral, the Superintendent of Stanley Prison, the Sincere Co., the China Emporium, the China Products Co., Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Co., the Y.W.C.A., Messrs. H. Bullock and Son, Messrs. Dowdell and Co., the St. Stephen's Girls' College, the Nestle's Milk Products (China) Ltd., Mr. Churn and the Colonial Dispensary, the Filmo Depot, the Caravan, the Little Shop, Brewers Bookshop and the Far Eastern Printing Co., the Little Art Shop, the Treasury Ship.

The Kowloon Riding School, Marcel Bakery, the China Light and Power Co. Ltd., the South China Morning Post, the Hong Kong Telegraph, the Hong Kong Daily Press, the Hong Kong News, the Sunday Herald, the Chinese News Agency, the Commissioner of Police, the Traffic Department, the Fire Brigade, Officers of the Water Police, Mr. Lay of the Broadcast Office, the Eastman Kodak Co., the King's Studio, A. Fong, St. Andrew's Church, the Union Church, Hongkong Furniture Co., the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Messrs. Noronha and Co., Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chang, the Aberdeen Industrial School, Messrs. Gene L. Chao, T. A. L. O. Yu, R. P. Ching, Stewart Wu, E. L. Lian, S. W. U., K. S. Dan, Dunbar, Mr. N. J. Jarvis, Mr. Stark, Miss Katie Archibald, Lady Pollock and an Indian Friend.

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SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KIUNGCHOW"	On 30th June, 4 p.m.
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HAIPHONG	"HUEH"	On 3rd July, Noon
CANTON	"FATSHAN"	On 4th July, 8 a.m.
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KWANGCHOWWAN & HAIPHONG	"JEAN DUPUIS"	On 4th July, 4 p.m.
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Tsuan, British, 2,100 registered tons Capt. J. K. Clark from buoy No. B14 for Amoy and Shaih 5 p.m.—B & S. (Tel. 30351).

Tak Sang, British, 1,984 registered tons Capt. Blidwell from West Point Wharf for Haiphong 5 p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30331).

Chungking, British, 1,311 registered tons Capt. Orwin from buoy No. B21 for Wenchow 4 p.m.—B & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tai Po Sek, French, 1,219 registered tons Capt. J. S. Connemour from C.M.S.N. Wharf for K. C. Wan 4 p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Hai Hing, Norwegian, 1,445 registered tons Capt. E. R. Hannevig from buoy No. B7 for S'pore, Penang and Rangoon a.m.—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 23711).

Hellas, Norwegian, 1,114 registered tons Capt. J. L. A. Nilsen from buoy No. B11 for Swatow & Bangkok a.m.—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30137).

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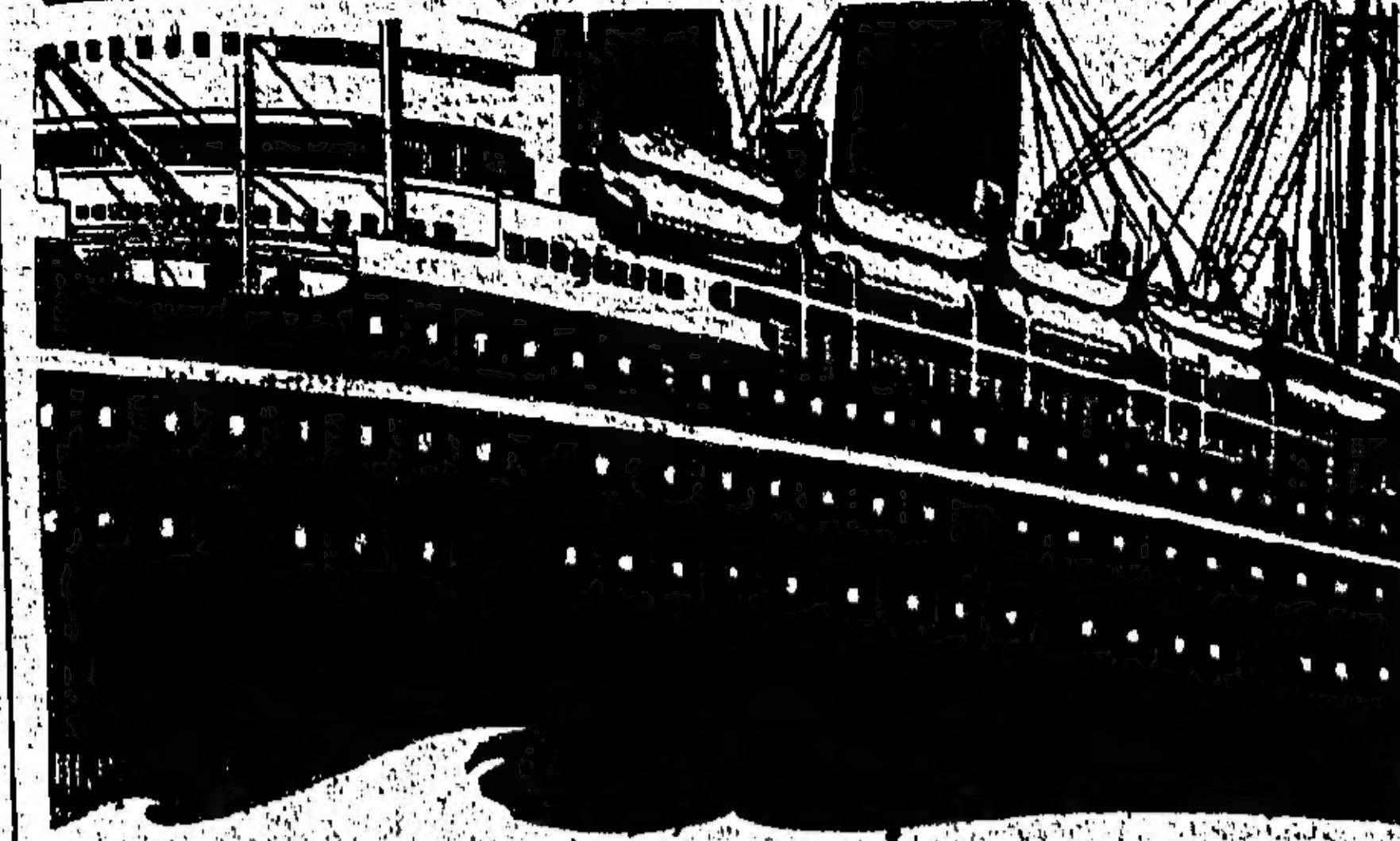
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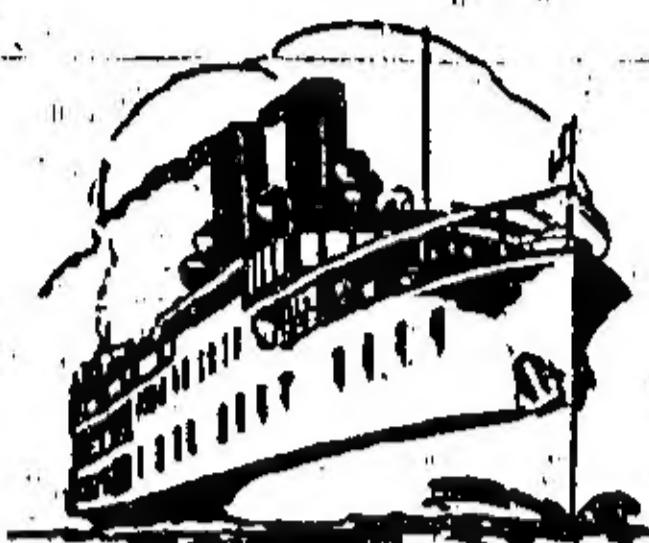
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